

# The Bethel Oxford County Citizen

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## DIRIGO GIRLS STATE DELEGATES FROM ANDOVER

Faith Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan, Andover, has been chosen as a delegate to Girls State from Telstar Regional High School sponsored by the Town of Andover.

At Telstar Faith has been a member of the Girls' Athletic Association, band, chorus, and was initiated into the National Honor Society this year. She has been an honor student for three years and has received awards in Math and English.

She has served her class as president for two years and was secretary of the Student Council during her Sophomore year.

Faith participated in track, played field hockey for three years, has been on the ski team for three years and was elected co-captain of the team during her Junior year. In addition to skiing with the high school team, Faith participates in United States Eastern Amateur Association cross country races.

Faith attends the First Congregational Church in Andover.

Miss Morgan's alternate is Rhonda Palmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Palmer, Andover.

Ann Marie Summerton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Summerton, Andover, has been selected as a delegate to Girls State from Telstar Regional High School. Her sponsor is the Oxford County Council of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Ann was born in Roswell, N. M., attended kindergarten in Fairbanks, Alaska, and since then has attended Andover Elementary School and is presently a junior at Telstar.

Miss Summerton has been an honor student; received a special award in English; a member of the French Club and a member of the Junior and Senior Telstar Band.

At Telstar she has participated in cross country and track. A member of the Pineclad Ski Club, she has skied in the Torger Torkle League. For four years she attended the Susan Farrar School of Dance and has attended the Maine Music Camp.

She is a teacher in the First Congregational Church Sunday School.

Miss Summerton's alternate is Kaye Swan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Swan.

## SENIOR CITIZENS GOING TO PORTLAND APRIL 4

The Bethel Senior Citizens will be going on their spring trip on Monday, April 4, to Portland. There will be shopping and a dinner. All those wishing to attend should be at the IGA parking lot at 8:30 a. m.

## BETHEL HEALTH COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULED

The annual organizational meeting of the Bethel Health Council will be held on Wednesday, April 3, at 7 p. m. at the Town Manager's Office.

## U. M. W. TO MEET APRIL 7

Mrs. Cora Bennett will host the next meeting of United Methodist Women on Thursday afternoon, April 7 at 1:30 at her home on Vernon Street. The program will be in charge of Mrs. Betty Perkins.

Get Ready for Spring with a body perm at LINDA'S COUNTRY FLAIR. 836-3929

## "MARK TWAIN SKETCHES" AT GOULD'S BINGHAM HALL MONDAY, APRIL 4, AT 7:30

"Man is without doubt the most interesting fool there is." Thus spoke America's legendary humorist and eccentric, Mark Twain. From the pitiless Twain pen, a special touring production "Mark Twain Sketches" has been created by the Chamber Repertory Theatre of Boston. This exciting new company has been hailed for its Twain production throughout northern New England and is now touring the Eastern half of the United States, sponsored by the Boston Arts Group.

The world's greatest liar, a fabulist, con man, and doer of pure-blooded American fools and foolsers parade through the Twain landscape. "Mark Twain Sketches" is a sampler of Twain's lectures and short stories depicting 19th century America and some of its wildly funny misadventures.

The Chamber Repertory Theatre company of five highly acclaimed performers will be appearing with "Mark Twain Sketches" on Monday, April 4, at 7:30 p. m. in Gould's Bingham Hall. There will be no admission charge and the public is cordially invited.

## CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH SCHOOL PROGRAM AND SUPPER

The West Parish Congregational Church School will present an evening program, followed by supper, on Monday, April 4, at 6 p. m. at the church. Members and friends of the church are urged to attend. If you are not called in advance for the supper, please bring a casserole, a salad, or a dessert.

## MAUNDY THURSDAY

The Vigil of Maundy Thursday: Office of Tenebrae with the Sacrament of Communion will be observed by West Parish Congregational Church on April 7 at 7 p. m. This service dates from the 4th century A. D. and is especially rich in its use of hymns, scripture, and symbolism. Members of the community are invited to join in this very beautiful and deeply moving celebration.



THE RONNIE BROWN TRIO will present a Community Concert in Muskie Auditorium in Rumford, Monday, April 4, at 8:15 p. m. This trio consists of piano, bass and drums. Ronnie Brown, shown at the piano, is a former faculty member of Boston's New England Conservatory of Music. They play "Classics to Jazz." Admission is by membership only. This is the first of two bonus concerts for new members as well as current members. The membership drive for the 1977-78 season is on through April 1. If you would like to join and take advantage of this bonus concert, call Mrs. Wallace Saunders, Mr. or Mrs. John Applin or Mrs. Gertrude Waldron.

## HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO OFFER WHITE MT. HISTORY COURSE APRIL 26-MAY 24

Once again the Bethel Historical Society is offering the popular course, "White Mountain History" conducted by regional historian Randy L. Bennett which will feature a series of six sessions consisting of lectures, slide presentations and field trips beginning on Tuesday, April 26, at 7:30 p. m. in the meeting room of the Moses Mason House. Topics covered will include the region's historical background, early explorers, Indian culture, Franconia, Crawford, Evans and Pinkham Notches, the hotel era, Mount Washington and the Cog Railroad, art and literature. Two field trips are now planned for Evans Notch (Gorham) and Pine Mountain (Gorham). The final session will feature a dinner at the Philbrook Farm which claims to be the oldest hotel in the United States continuously operated by one family.

A modest registration fee will be charged which will include all course materials and dinner at the Philbrook Farm. Anyone interested in participating in what promises to be an interesting and rewarding experience can register by writing the Society at Box 12, Bethel, Maine, 04217 or by calling 824-2908.

## GEMS AND MINERALS ASSN. HAS SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABLE

The Oxford County Gems and Minerals Association is donating a \$200 Scholarship to an Oxford County High School graduate going into higher education.

The requirement for winning this award will be a composition of at least 500 words on "Earth Science," preferably minerals.

The family of the student must be residents of Oxford County. The judges will be members of the Oxford County Gems and Minerals Association, with their decision being final.

All compositions must be delivered by June 30, 1977, to Nestor Tamminen, Box 41, RD #1, West Paris, Maine 04289. Telephone, Norway 527-2252. Any questions may be directed to the above.

## METHODIST CHURCH ANNOUNCES

### EASTER ACTIVITIES

Activities planned for the final weeks of the Lenten season at Bethel United Methodist Church were announced at morning services on Sunday.

On Friday evening, April 1, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Stevens will host a "Love Feast" at their home. Everyone is invited to join them for a 6:30 pot luck supper. Take a hot dish or a salad.

On Palm Sunday, April 3, the men of the church will gather for a fellowship breakfast beginning at 6 o'clock. All men of the church are welcome. Good Friday services will be held at West Bethel Union Church and members of the United Methodist have accepted an invitation to worship with them.

Community Sunrise Services will be held at 8:30 a. m. on Easter Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Faudi, Paradise Street, followed by breakfast at the church at approximately 7:15 and the morning service at 10:30. Congregations of all local churches are invited to participate in the Sunrise Service.

## SENIOR CITIZENS MEALS

### TUESDAY, APRIL 5

The menu for the Senior Citizens meal service beginning at the Bethel United Methodist Church on Tuesday, April 5, follows: Spaghetti with tomato, meat sauce, parmesan cheese, tossed salad with French dressing; chilled orange juice, whole wheat bread, applesauce cake, DB/col diet fruit, V-8 juice.

## COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The Board of Selectmen met Monday night, March 28, and acted on a variety of items. Minutes of the March 14 meeting were approved and warrants six, 10, 11 and 12 were signed.

After discussing with Police Chief Robert Stearns, the Board voted to approve a weapons permit application for James Mann of East Bethel.

The Board accepted with regret the resignation of John Gasser as an S. A. D. #44 School Director. As the Selectmen are responsible for appointing a replacement, they request that interested citizens express their interest by contacting the Town Manager or any member of the Board of Selectmen prior to April 11.

The Board spent the majority of their meeting making appointments to various Boards and Committees. Appointed to the Radio Study Committee for one year terms were: Burnham Rice, Robert Davis, Ted Chadbourne, Craig Davis, Richard Blake, John Greenleaf and Arlan Jodrey.

Ruth Feeney, Timothy Carter, Barbara Brown, Danny Kennah and Elmer Bean were appointed to the Community Safety and Law Enforcement Committee. Paul Jenkins was appointed to a three year term on the Recreation Board. Airport Advisory Committee members appointed were John Head and Edwin Brown. Appointment of Budget Committee members postponed until the April 11 meeting.

The Board also appointed the following constables for 1977: Arnold Brown, John T. Grover, Philip Coolidge, Frank Murphy, R. Glenn Murphy, Albert Sumner and Joyce Stearns.

The Board discussed insurance coverage at the Sewage Treatment Plant and directed the manager to proceed to have necessary insurance included with our present policy.

A letter from the Planning Board was received which requested assistance from the Board in putting together information on town programs and services. This information will be used in the Comprehensive Plan being updated by the Planning Board. The Manager was directed to develop a draft of this information for the Board to review at their next meeting.

Office equipment purchases for the Town Office were discussed and the Board authorized the manager to proceed in purchasing a copy machine, typewriter and desk. These items were included in the 1977 Town Budget.

Town Clerk Merton Brown discussed the issuance of automobile registrations by the Town Office and the Board voted that the town participate in the program. When the state started the program, a tremendous amount of paperwork was required and the town decided not to participate, however, much of this paperwork has been eliminated and it was decided that it would be advantageous to now participate. The program, as planned at the present time, will start on the first of May.

With the construction season fast approaching, we would like to remind residents and contractors that a permit must be obtained from the town office prior to any excavations within the town's right-of-way. Notice to all public utilities prior to excavation is also required by state law.

Owners of dogs are reminded that April 1 is the deadline for obtaining dog licenses. The bridge over the East Branch of the Pleasant River on the Grover Hill/County Road has been repaired and the road is now passable.

The Assessors will hold their regular monthly meeting Monday night, April 4, at 7 o'clock in the Town Office.

Norman R. Ness, Jr.

## TELSTAR N. H. S. ATTENDS CONVENTION AT LINCOLN

On Saturday, March 26, eight members of the Telstar chapter of the National Honor Society and their advisor left Telstar at 4:30 a. m. to attend the N. H. S. State Convention at Mattanawook Academy in Lincoln. Highlights of the General Session were the Keynote Address given by James Wiggins, former Ambassador to the United Nations, former editor of the "Washington Post," and editor of the "Ellsworth American"; and the speeches of the candidates for state office. Scott Wight of Telstar was one of the candidates for Vice President.

Later students dispersed to attend various workshops of their choice. Workshops offered were: Induction Ceremonies, College Admissions and Financial Aid, Open Door Student Exchange from New York, Crime Prevention Team, Political Youth Government, First Aid, Transcendental Meditation, and a workshop for Advisors, Chapter Presidents, and Regional Chairmen.

Following lunch, entertainment was provided by the Designed Expression, a popular music group from the University of Maine at Farmington.

Those making the trip were the following: Dan Cummings, B. G. Flynn, Philip Gauthier, Peter Keniston, Steve Morrill, Cathy Smith, Scott Wight, Tom Wight, and Mrs. Madeleine Gibbs, N. H. S. advisor.

## EKO WOOD PRODUCTS ANNOUNCES NEW PLANT OFFICIAL

Eko Wood Products of Locke Mills has announced the appointment of Duane L. Gilbert Sr. to the position of Assistant plant manager and superintendent. He assumed his duties in February.

Mr. Gilbert holds an Associate Degree from SMVTI and a Bachelor of Science in manufacturing technology from the University of Maine, Portland - Gorham. He brings to his new position a broad background of manufacturing skills and experience from previous associations with S. D. Warren, G.T.E. Sylvania, Maremount and the Reese Corporation.

Mr. Gilbert, wife Judy, and children, Kimberly and Duane Jr., have always lived in the Gorham or Portland area where Mrs. Gilbert attended The Portland School of Fine and Applied Arts and University of Maine, Portland-Gorham.

Mr. Gilbert is a Legionnaire and a Mason and has been active in several professional societies. He served on the CMVTI advisory board for two years and has just concluded a year as chairman of the Society of Manufacturing Engineers, Southern Maine Chapter. In making the announcement, John Tebbins, plant manager, said that the Gilberts have moved to Bethel and plan to build in this area within a few months.

## S. A. D. #44 SPELLING BEE HELD LAST THURSDAY

The S. A. D. #44 Spelling Bee was held in the auditorium at Telstar Regional High School last Thursday afternoon, March 24.

The winner, Tammy Dunham, grade eight, Telstar Regional High School, and runner-up, John Schachter, grade seven, Telstar, were presented awards by S. A. D. #44 Superintendent Kenneth Smith.

Other participants were: Marcia Barker, grade six, Woodstock Elementary School; Jeffrey Morgan, grade six, R. C. Foster School, Newry; and Denise Foster, grade six, Andover Elementary School. Miss Helen Varner, served as master of the annual event.

## ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT

This year the Egg Hunt is being sponsored by the Town of Bethel Recreation Board, and will be early Easter Sunday morning. Watch this paper for details. Anyone desiring to help with this well attended event is asked to get in touch with Merton Brown.

## ROBERTS POULTRY FARM

3 1/2 doz. JUMBO \$3.10  
5 doz. X-LARGE \$3.85  
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10 lbs. POTATOES \$1.03  
50 lbs. BAKING POTATOES \$4.50

AT THE FARM Rumford Road Rt. 2

## GOULD IS RECIPIENT OF \$50,000 FOR STUDENT FINANCIAL AID IN GRADES 9 THRU 12

Gould Academy Headmaster Richard J. Dolven has announced that the Academy has been named as recipient of a grant of \$50,000 from the Independence Foundation of Philadelphia, Pa. The Grant funds will be distributed over a five year period beginning in September, 1977 as scholarships or other financial aid to students in grades 9 through 12.

Mr. Dolven said this important grant, the first of its kind for Gould, represents "a vital extension of the scholarship program which will enable students of modest means to obtain a topflight academic education. It will extend already existing scholarship programs which open the possibility of independent education to many residents of Maine who might otherwise be denied this opportunity."

The Independence Foundation, he went on to say, is an organization which "values the independent sector of education and seeks to preserve that alternative in education for the American public."

## PANEL DISCUSSION TO HIGHLIGHT W.M.I.M.C. MEETING AT BETHEL, APRIL 4

The Western Maine Industrial Management Club will hold its April meeting at 6:30 on Monday evening, April 4, at the Bethel Inn, in Bethel.

The program will consist of a panel discussion by qualified people from within the organization. Their topic will be "Women's Role in Industry." This will be the first time that the panel discussion concept has been used at a meeting and a lively and interesting discussion is anticipated.

The business meeting will be highlighted by the election officers and will also include reports from the May Installation Banquet Committee, the Scholarship Committee and others.

Any interested companies may contact John Flanders at Andover Wood Products, 392-2101, for information regarding membership.

## D. E. P. DUMP ENVOYS TO VISIT REGION APRIL 5

Two representatives of the Department of Environmental Protection will meet with local officials on Tuesday, April 5, to discuss problems relating to municipal dumps. Individual meetings with officials of each community will take place throughout the day at 116 Main Street, Norway, over the Fire Hall, and that evening at Oxford Hills High School.

Art Day of the DEP's Division of Solid Waste Management and John Chandler of the Bureau of Air Quality Control, will represent the department. They will talk informally with the local officials to help them find ways to meet state regulations on solid waste management and open burning.

Officials from several communities have been invited to meet with the DEP staff members at half-hour intervals throughout the day. The sessions are open to the public, but emphasis will be on helping municipal officials.

Municipalities whose officials have been invited during the day-time at 116 Main St., Norway, location are: Paris, 11 a. m.; Norway, 11:30 a. m.; Bethel, 1:30 p. m.; Oxford 2 p. m.; Peru, 2:30 p. m.; Mexico, 3 p. m.; West Paris, 3:30 p. m.; Woodstock, 4 p. m.; and Buckfield, 4:30 p. m.

Evening meetings are also being held on April 5 at Room 115, Oxford Hills High School. Appointments for officials from several other municipalities have been reserved as follows: Greenwood, 6 p. m.; Hebron, 6:30 p. m.; Hebron Academy, 7 p. m.; Sumner, 7:30 p. m.; and at 8 p. m. the towns of Andover, Canton, Lincoln Plantation, Gilead and Waterford.

## BENEFIT SUPPER for the Clyde Knights Family SAT., APRIL 2, 5:30 P. M.

Bryant Pond Town Hall  
Beans, casseroles, etc.  
Adults, \$2. Children \$1.75

Is someone else's drinking a problem for you? AL-ANON Meetings every Wednesday night—8 p. m. in Bethel Savings Bank. Call 824-2238 or 824-2058 for information.

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**GAME PARTY**  
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**Easter is April 10**  
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Paradise St., Bethel

**Public Notice**  
The Bethel Town Office will be open from 7:30 - 10:00 a. m., Saturday, April 2, to enable citizens to obtain resident Fishing Licenses.

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## Upton

— Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. —

An Easter Sunrise Service will be held at 6 a. m. in the field by the Aron home. It will be followed by a pot luck breakfast at the Ladies Aid Building. Both functions—or either—are open to everyone.

Ladies Aid held a meeting at the home of Simone Lavalley, Sunday p. m. Following the meeting a party with Lucille Lagesse demonstrating decorative copper was enjoyed by the women present.

Shortly after 8 p. m. Saturday, Yvonne Viens called that she could see what appeared to be a fire up the road. Although Roland went immediately to investigate while I called the selectmen and others I was already too late to save the building owned by Mae Goodrum and lately unoccupied. However the prompt arrival of the Bethel Fire Department may have prevented damage to other buildings nearby. Several of the Goodrum family arrived about midnight and stayed in Horace Goodrum's camp.

I read about some coffee substitutes which included corn kernels roasted and ground and sunflower seeds treated much the same way. I came across a small jar of squash seed which I'd saved earlier and as I was baking I experimented with them. Toasted dark brown and crumbled, then brewed like coffee and the result was a very potable drink. It might take some getting used to but I'm sure there are many such inexpensive materials which we can use not only for the sake of our pocketbooks but in protest of being taken by whatever or whoever is responsible. Any other suggestions you might wish to share, the Editor willing, will be presented so we can do our bit to halt this outrage.

The Selectmen held a meeting Saturday and appointed the following: Registrar of Voters, Lucille Lagesse; Town Fire Warden, Fred Judkins; Health Officer, Eleanor Lecomte; C. E. P. Director, Fred Judkins; Plumbing & Building Inspector, George Scott; Librarian, Arline Bernier; Constable and Dog Officer, Andrew Aron, Jr.; Planning Board for 5 years, Allen Murphy; Planning Board for 3 years, Leslie Aron; Planning Board, associate member, Richard Lecomte.

## WEST BETHEL CHILDREN'S CENTER

We would like to thank the Telstar music students for putting on a show for us. The children really enjoyed it.

We have decided to put on a garage sale the end of April. If you would like to give donations, the people to contact are Kathy Taylor, Bryant Pond 59, Marianna Fifield, Bryant Pond 92 ring 4, and Jennice Cole 674-2614.

We would also like to thank our volunteers of the last two weeks. They have been Morris Perlman, Coleen Pinette and Jodi Carter; also the Village Store in Bryant Pond for its donation of toothpaste.

## BETHEL LIBRARY

Winners of the Bethel Library Raffle were Mrs. Clarence Howe, 1st prize, dinner for two at the Bethel Inn and Richard Harding, 2nd prize, \$5.00 credit at Charlie's Place. The library trustees fund raising committee would like to thank all those who bought tickets and also want to thank the many people who donated and bought food for the food sale the end of February.

The money acquired from both activities will be spent for new books for the Bethel Library. Because of the higher cost of books today, the reading committee ran out of money and this will reimburse them.

**WEST BETHEL CHURCH NEWS**  
There will be a Good Friday Service at the West Bethel Union Church on April 8, 1977. Area churches will join with us. There will be a movie shown "Dawn of Victory" on the crucifixion and resurrection of Christ Our Lord and Saviour, at 7 p. m. Refreshments will be served downstairs after the service is over. — Mabel Walker.

## RUMFORD

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is Dirty Harry  
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Tues.: 1 p. m.2 "THE TOWN THAT  
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Eve.: 6:30 & 8:30  
Sat. & Sun.: 1:30MATINEE ONLY  
Sat. and Sun.: 1:30"THE CLOWN & THE  
KIDS"

These films reviewed on Screen Scene WRUM, am 790, fm 96:  
Wed.: 7:47 a. m., 5:30 p. m.;  
Fri., 5:30 p. m.; Sat., 10:30 a. m.

## Albany

— Kathy Bennett, Corres. —

The snow dumped on us late last Tuesday night has disappeared. Let us hope that it is the last snow storm of the season.

Elna McAllister visited her mother at the Hicks Nursing Home in Fryeburg on Saturday.

Sunday, Albert and Elna went down to Mt. Abram to watch their grandchildren ski. While there they saw Governor Longley and his family.

Saturday Jimmy Barton was the guest of honor at a family birthday party at his home. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Barton, Beth and Jeff and Frank Barton, all of Albany; Mrs. Fran Parsons and Michelle and Mrs. Evette Barton, Pammy, Darlene and Dale of Brownfield.

Sunday Margaret Barton and Jeff visited Mrs. Myrna Barton at the Osteopathic Hospital in Portland. Hopefully Myrna will be coming home this week.

Callers at the Arthur Wardwell's this week end were Dale Scribner and friend, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scribner.

Saturday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell. Kenny Bumpus called on Hugh and Edith Stearns this week end.

Sunday Hugh and Edith went to L. L. Bean's in Freeport with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howard.

K-D's Acres was blessed with the birth of twin goats at 2 a. m. Tuesday morning. Their names are Heidi and Bridget. Needless to say they have created a lot of excitement around here! Monday, my aunt, Mrs. Kay Billings was a guest of honor at a birthday party here at the farm. Those attending were the guest of honor, and her husband, Roydon Billings, Dick and I and the boys and Mr. and Mrs. JaForest Twitchell.

Other callers during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Maillet, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns, Mr.

**A BIG THANK YOU!**  
The children of the Ethel Bisbee School collected 13,460 Campbell Soup labels with the help of many generous people. Of the total, 11,950 labels (worth \$119.50) were sent in for 18 playground balls and two gym scooter boards. The remainder of the labels will go towards next year's campaign.

This is the fourth year that we have participated on the Campbell Soup Labels for Education program. We have received almost \$250 worth of audio-visual and physical education equipment.

Labels came from North Carolina, Virginia, Florida, Hawaii, California, Massachusetts, as well as many towns throughout Maine. It is truly heartwarming to know that there are so many friends of education. Everyone helped make it a success.

Keep saving the Campbell soup and pork and bean labels for next year. Send them to the Ethel Bisbee School (Bethel) or to me.

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## North East Lovell

— Pauline Smith, Corres. —

Rose Mary Smith called on her grandmother Sunday. Brought in pussy willows to Grandmother Marion Kendall.

John Fox called on Charles Sunday.

Paul Fox, wife and son, Kevin, of Monmouth, Maine, called at Charles and Iva Fox's, his folks, Saturday.

Pauline Smith had lunch and visited her cousin, Vesta Nelson, Friday. Vesta took her home.

Sunday callers at Charles Fox Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. John Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kendall, Peter Fox and family, Rose Mary, Linda Allen, Albert Fox family, Linda, Nesta, Roy Smith, Larry Fox.

Charles Fox was in the Bridgton hospital two days last week. He is home at this writing. All wishes for a speedy recovery.

Phyllis Millett and Barbara LeMay are through their winter's work at David Mason's, Lovell.

Arline Merrill called on Geneva Charles on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Smith and Bruce Bassett went to South Paris, having their eyes tested and also called on friends in the nursing home.

Warmer and I can once again see bare ground.

and Mrs. Franklin Barton, Brett, Jeff and Jimmy, Frank Barton and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cairns.

Mr. and Mrs. George Allen called on her sister, Mrs. Sarah Andrews on Sunday.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Ernest Fairbrother, Eric and Zanella from Hanscom Field, Mass., spent the week end with us as they are soon to be transferred to Georgia.

Well, it finally happened—Uncle Bill and I defeated Aunt Kay and Dick at cribbage! Take note, it may never happen again!

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Edna Moore Schultz

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Many thanks to all who sent cards while I was in the hospital and since I got home. Special thanks to Bethel Ambulance for their kind service.

Herschel Glines

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48 oz. 79¢

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**Tiny Pacific Shrimp**  
4 1/2 oz. 79¢

**HORMEL**

**Tender Chunk Ham**  
6 1/2 oz. 79¢

**SHURFINE**

**English Muffins**  
12 oz. 3 FOR \$1.00

**CORONET**

**Ice Cream**  
Half Gallon \$1.39

**LOCUST FARM**

**Orange Juice**  
Half Gallon 69¢

**NISSEN'S**

**Giant Bread**  
2 FOR \$1.00 Save 30¢

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**Buttertop**

**Oatmeal Bread**  
69¢ Save 10¢

**KLEENEX**

**Facial Tissues**  
200 count 2 FOR 89¢

**AJAX**

**Laundry Detergent**  
49 oz. \$1.15

**KIRSCHNER'S**

**Beef Franks**  
1 lb. 99¢

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**BULK**

**Olive Loaf**

**Pickle Loaf**

**Mac. & Cheese Loaf**  
99¢ LB.

**PENN DUTCH**

**Egg Noodles**  
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**LIBBY'S**

**Beef Sloppy Joe**  
15 1/2 oz. 49¢

**CARNATION**

**Coffee Mate**  
16 oz. 99¢

**PHILADELPHIA**

**Cream Cheese**  
8 oz. 39¢

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**Flake Coconut**  
14 oz. 79¢

**VERYFINE**

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**Pineapple**  
20 oz. 2 FOR 99¢

**FRESH**

**Cello Pack**

**Leaf Spinach**  
10 oz. pkg. 59¢

**CALIFORNIA SEEDLESS**

**Navel Oranges**  
88 count 10 FOR 99¢

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## Newry

Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres. — The Harrison Area Bookmobile will be at Bear River Cabins 3:00 - 3:30 on April 4.

Easter Sunrise services for Upton and Newry Churches will be held at Upton April 10 at 6 a. m. followed by breakfast at 7 a. m. Rodney Hanscom, pastor of the Newry Community Church will officiate.

The Mothers Club will meet at the Raymond Foster School April 4, at 7:30 p. m. Members are asked to bring something for Easter baskets for patients at the Ledgewood Memorial Home, West Paris.

The Assessors will meet at the Bear River Grange Hall April 4 from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. for the purpose of receiving the lists of estates liable for taxation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Swan were in Barre, Vt., visiting their family from Thursday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Enman, Buckfield, returned home from Indiana Saturday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Flanders Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis, Bethel, visited Mr. and Mrs. Flanders one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Owen Wight took Matthew and Gretchen Wight back to UMO Sunday.

Robert Pelletier and a friend, Windham, spent Saturday night at their trailer.

Mrs. Winifred Scott, Windsor, Ct., and Mrs. Suzanne Hayner, of Glastonbury, Ct., were week end guests of Mrs. Mary Tripp and Robert Bean.

Bear River Grange #285 met at the Community Room under the Bethel Savings Bank Saturday evening for the last meeting there until next winter. The meeting was called to order by Worthy Master Raymond Tripp Jr., at 7:30 p. m. The business meeting was taken care of in a very efficient manner. The Grange voted to join the Pledge in Maine contest. This will help both the Grange and the community in general. It was decided to elect a special committee to work at this contest and the following members were chosen for the challenge: Russell Yates, Earl Hutchinson and Raymond Tripp Jr. Three applications for membership were received at this meeting. The Lecturer's program for the evening consisted of the following: reading of a letter from John Scott, Master of the National Grange concerning the mortgage on the National Grange Headquarters Building in Washington, D. C. A facsimile of the mortgage was burned and the members joined

## FRANKLIN GRANGE #124

Franklin Grange met Monday with a Legislature and bird night combined for the program.

Richard Felt told us about the taxing of the various wood lots, the bills that are in the legislature and other taxes affecting our town during report of Legislative committee.

Cards were sent to several who had birthdays in March and an anniversary card to one of our older couples, Mr. and Mrs. Claude C. Cushman who have been married 58 years. Our Worthy Chaplain, Edith Hathaway had attended the ill and injured members. Bro. Chester Bean fell on ice and had broken his arm. Everett Cole was in the hospital undergoing a severe operation.

The program consisted of songs, an original poem by Olive Davis on "My Birds in the Winter of '77," a forum on "Selected thoughts on tax laws and land measures" by Richard Felt, "The Legend of the first Robin" was read, followed by pictures on bird, animals, Kancamagus Highway and Durham convention.

A cake was presented to Sister Eva Mills. Happy Birthday was sung to her by the Grangers.

There were two members present from West Paris Grange.

The next meeting we will be entertaining our deputies, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Roak, April 14.

April 18, a three point meeting will be held with us when a 6:30 supper will be served. Norway will be putting on the program and West Paris will fill the chairs.

In repeating the Lord's Prayer. Next on the program was the introduction and reading of part of the Secret Work of the First Degree of the Grange. This was demonstrated to give all a better understanding of the unwritten work of the order. Then Sister Helen Varner was introduced and gave a very interesting and educational talk on her trip to Hawaii last December. Many pictures taken by Sister Varner, plus many postcards were displayed for all to observe.

As this was the month of St. Patrick, the Worthy Lecturer gave a reading about this devoted Irishman. The reading hit upon many highlights of the life of this man. This was followed by the closing thought. After the meeting a plentiful lunch was enjoyed by all. The next meeting will be April 9, at the Grange Hall at Newry Corner. It was reported by the Lecturer that the April 23, meeting would be observed as Past Masters Night. Each Bear River Grange Officer is asked to obtain his own replacement for that evening from some other Grange.

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MEMBERSHIP DRIVE ENDS APRIL 1

## Magalloway &amp; WILSON'S MILLS

Mrs. Bertha West, Corres. — deferred

Town meeting in Wilson's Mills was held Wednesday evening, March 16 with 29 voters there.

Officers elected were: Town Clerk, Marjorie Littlehale; Assessor, one year, Norman Littlehale; for two years, Warren Bennett; for three years, Carroll Stanley; Member of School Board for three years, Eleanor White; To Care for Town Property, Glen White; Tax Collector, LeRoy Olson; Treasurer, LeRoy Olson; Road Surveyor, Warren Bennett; Constable, Thomas Hardy; Surveyor of Lumber, Glen White; Sealer of Weights and Measures, Glen White; Fire Ward, Frank Staley; Member of Board of Health, 1 year, Donna Glover; Sexton, Glen White; Fire Chief, Norman Littlehale; Republican Ballot Clerk, Emily Stanley; Democratic Ballot Clerk, Bertha West.

Leroy Olson called on his brother, Ellis Olson, Sunday afternoon. The snow is disappearing fast but there is still a lot to go. It is rather cold here this Monday morning and we had snow flurries for a while this morning.

Mrs. Betty Hibbard returned home from the Rumford Community Hospital Tuesday and is getting along real good.

Michael Turner and Richard Phillips who have been logging on the Bennett lot closed down Friday.

I have Starlings, Red Wing Black Birds, Cow birds, Juncos and Sparrows coming to my bird feeder. There was a pair of robins around for a couple of days and they left. They must have decided to go back south again.

Aziscoos Grange #402 held a special meeting Friday night at their hall celebrating the burning of the National Grange Building mortgage. After the meeting a card party was enjoyed with seven tables playing. Delicious refreshments were served.

Sharon and Robin Hibbard were home from Fryeburg Academy for the week end.

Word received from Rex Bennett of Georgia, a former resident here, who has been sick for over a year expects to go to the Walter Reed Hospital in Washington for a kidney transplant in the near future. He is some better than he was.

Earl Francis and Mr. Ross of Norway spent the week end at the

## Telstar R. H. S. News

Seniors of this year's graduating class at Telstar have been accepted for fall admission to various schools of post secondary training as follows:

Sharon Briggs, University of Maine (Farmington), Early Childhood Education; Nancy Brown, University of Maine (Farmington), Learning Disabilities; Scott Dennis, Florida Institute of Technology, Engineering; Julia Edwards, University of Maine (Farmington), Early Childhood Education; Kathy Hutchins, St. Joseph's School of Nursing, Registered Nursing; Michael Lannon, New Hampshire Vocational Technical College, Carpentry; Lauri Littlefield, Becker Junior College, Social Work; Paul Morgan, Thomas College, Accounting; Susanne Royer, Gordon College, English and Literature; Cathy Smith, University of Maine (Orono), Forest Engineering; Thea Tracy, University of Maine (Presque Isle), Plymouth State College, P. E. Education; Ricky Waisanen, Central Maine Vocational Technical Institute, Automotive; Kim Whitten, University of Maine (Augusta), Criminal Justice; Tom Wight, University of Maine (Orono), Engineering.

## East Bethel

Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks of West Paris were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Floribel Haines.

Mrs. Floribel Haines went to Norway Tuesday of this week on the minibuss.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Coolidge and daughter, Emily, of Northwest Bethel were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge.

Eric and Jeff Hastings were honorary pages at the State House in Augusta Tuesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. William Elbridge (Deborah Farwell) of Unity visited relatives and friends in this vicinity over the week end.

Clayton Bartlett of Kennebunk was a Sunday visitor of Mrs. Lillian Bartlett and Clark Bartlett.

John Foster of Andover visited Mr. and Mrs. David Foster Friday.

Richard Stearns and Bobby Erington of Rumford Corner, visited the Fosters Monday of this week.

Francis Camp and took their snow machines home with them that have been parked in my yard for two weeks.

## Bryant Pond

Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres. —

Woodstock Senior Citizens will meet at the Town Hall on Thursday, April 7, at 11 a. m. Each member is asked to bring home-baked food or an article they have made for a sale? The Daughters of Veterans will serve the lunch. In the afternoon, Mary Emmons will have a display and sale of her ceramics and explains how she makes them.

The young peoples group of the Baptist Church attended a Basketball Marathon at Bonney Eagle High School on Saturday. They won a trophy for the cheering and the banner. Hopefully next year they will have more boys to play on the basketball team.

Friday evening all interested in helping the Chaplaincy Service Hospital mission projects are invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Billings at 7 p. m.

Wednesday, April 6, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Philbrick will be at the Baptist Church at 7 p. m. on Tuesday, April 12, will be the Church Quarterly Business Meeting.

The Daughters of Veterans held their regular meeting at the home of Verna Swan on Monday, March 28, with 10 members present. Beatrice Farnum was appointed as Chaplain. Thirty-one calls were reported. Plans were made for the Senior Citizens dinner next week. The annual food and rummage sale will be held on May 4. There was a reading on Andrew Jackson. Next meeting will be on April 11 at Verna Swan's. There will be a silent auction and refreshments will be served by Hazel Brooks and Verna Swan. Delegates and alternates were appointed with Sally Sawyer and Debbie Millett as delegates and Verna Swan and Alice Wardwell as alternates. Refreshments were served after the meeting by Harriet Estes.

At a state meeting of Jefferson Chapter #89, O. E. S., the following officers were elected for the

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## Sunday River

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. —

Floyd Verrill says the sap has run real good considering the weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Verrill and children are here again this week end and Abby Morrison came with them. Her brother, Alva, met her took her to Ketchum for the week end. They all returned to Concord, Mass., Sunday afternoon.

The snow storm of 13 inches left the school bus in its garage for another day last week.

Marshall Fleet had to stay out of school two days this week because of an accident.

The snow is traveling fast at 55 degrees at noon Sunday.

A new washing machine was delivered to John Nowlin, Sr., this week.

Peggy Morin is having a week's vacation from school at Augusta. Eva Yates visited Helen Bailey one afternoon at South Paris.

Thursday evening, Martha Birney, visited Eva Yates.

Mr. and Mrs. Estes Yates and Russell Yates were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hutchins of Andover, Sunday.

Timothy Doyle is in Ketchum with Alva Morrison for a few days visit and help with a bit of sap.

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**Bethel United Methodist Church**  
Rev. Ronald C. McKinstry  
Organist, Miss Susan Hathaway  
Administrative Board Chairman,  
Richard L. Davis

Sunday, April 3:  
6:00 a. m. Men's Fellowship  
Breakfast at the church.  
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.  
10:30 a. m. Nursery during Wor-  
ship Service.

Wednesday:  
10:30 a. m. Sunday School.  
10 a. m. Study Groups meet at  
the home of Mrs. Burton Abbott.  
Friday, April 1: 6:30 p. m. Love  
Feast at the home of Mr. and Mrs.  
Ranald Stevens.

There will be no Sunday School  
on Easter Sunday, April 10, in or-  
der that all may attend the wor-  
ship service.

**West Parish**  
**Congregational Church**  
United Church of Christ  
Church St., Bethel  
Rev. Thomas L. Caton, Pastor  
Miss Mary Valentine, Organist

Sunday:  
10:00 a. m. Morning Worship.  
Child care services available for  
parents attending church. Nursery  
class in Garland Chapel.  
7 p. m. Senior High Youth Fel-  
lowship.

Wednesday:  
3:15-4:15 p. m. Church School  
for Kindergarten-Grade 6. All are  
welcome.

Thursday:  
7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal in the  
sanctuary.

**Bethel Church of the Nazarene**  
Rev. Donald Smith, Interim Pastor  
Reach out to Jesus — He is  
reaching out to you.

Sunday:  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School in  
the downstairs chapel.  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.  
5:00 p. m. N.Y.P.S.  
6:00 p. m. Evening Worship.

Wednesday: 6 p. m. Bible Study  
and Prayer Meeting at the Church.  
For transportation to any ser-  
vice, please call Mrs. Geraldine  
Shimamura, 836-3354.

**Our Lady of the Snows Church**  
Rev. Donald R. Proulx  
29 Paris St., Norway  
Tel. 743-2606

Saturday, 4:30 p. m. Holy Sacri-  
fice of the Mass.  
**Chapel of Christ the King**  
Episcopal  
Sundays at 7:45 p. m., Bethel  
Savings Bank.

**Bethel Gospel Center**  
at the Odd Fellows Hall  
Pastor Edward Gammon

Sunday:  
Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.  
Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.  
Monday:  
Youth, Men's and Women's  
Groups, 7 p. m.

Wednesday:  
Bible Study and Prayer Service,  
7:00 p. m.  
**Locke Mills Union Church**  
Rev. David Wuori

Mrs. Richard Melville, Organist  
Church services, 9:00 a. m.  
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.  
Bryant Pond Baptist Church  
Linwood Hanson, Pastor

8:15, Sunday School.  
10:30, Morning Worship Service.  
6:00, Young Peoples' Meeting;  
Junior Young Peoples, grades 4-  
8; Word of Life Club, grades 7-12.  
7:00, Evening Service.

Wednesday, Choir Practice,  
7:15; Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.  
**Woodstock Seventh-day**  
**Adventist Church**

Pastor: Elder William Menshausen  
John Coyle, Minister  
Sabbath School: 10:00 a. m.  
Church Service: 11:30.  
Prayer meeting: Tuesday even-  
ing, 7:30.

**West Paris Universalist Church**  
B. R. Griffith, Pastor  
Mrs. Harriett Stowell, Organist

Sunday:  
Sunday School, 9 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.  
Youth Fellowship, 6 p. m.  
Evening Worship, 7 p. m.  
Bible Study, Wednesday, 7 p. m.  
Choir Rehearsal, Friday, 6:30 p.

**Community Church**  
(Full Gospel—  
Interdenominational)  
East Andover Road  
Rumford Center

Dr. J. Philip Jackson, Pastor  
Wednesday, 7 p. m. Deeper Life  
Bible Study.  
Saturday, 7 p. m. Prayer Meet-  
ing.

Sunday, 10 a. m. Worship. Holy  
Eucharist every Sunday.  
2 p. m. Evangelistic and Healing.  
"One Lord, One Faith, One Bap-  
tism."

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**Newry Community Church**  
Sunday:  
Morning Worship, 9 a. m. Rod-  
ney Hanscom, Pastor, Robert Du-  
ran, Pianist.  
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.  
Youth Group meets Sunday at  
1:30 p. m.

**Spaulding Memorial Chapel**  
Wilson's Mills  
Rev. Delmer A. Parker, Jr.  
Christian Worship Service, Sun-  
day, 2 p. m.

**OXFORD COUNTY**  
**UNITED PARISH**  
Peter Parent, Pastor

**Albany Congregational Church**  
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.  
**East Stoneham Congregational**  
Sunday:  
9:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

**North Waterford Congregational**  
Sunday:  
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.  
10:20 a. m. Church School.

**Rumford Point**  
**Congregational Church**  
Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor  
Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist

Sunday, April 3:  
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship  
10:30 a. m. Fellowship Hour.  
10:45 a. m. Church School.  
Monday, April 4: After School  
—Brownies at the Church.

Tuesday, April 5: After School  
—Girl Scouts at the Church.  
Thursday, April 7: 8:30 p. m.  
—Troop 509 of Boy Scouts at the  
church.

**Faith Bible Church**  
Rumford Corner  
Pastor, Bob Colby  
Preaching the Finished Work  
of Jesus Christ.

Sunday, 2:30 p. m.  
Tuesday, 7:00 p. m.  
**Calvary Congregational Church**  
Andover, Maine

M. Lester Strout, Pastor  
Miss Beverly White, Pianist  
Mrs. Ralph Simson, Choir Director

Sunday:  
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Bible-  
centered lessons; Classes for all  
ages; Adult class.  
Worship Service, 10:45 a. m.

**First Congregational Church**  
**United Church of Christ**  
Andover  
Rev. David Wuori

Linda Burnham, Organist  
Harriette Sauret, Music Director  
Eleanor C. Tracy  
Church School Superintendent

Bertha Summerton  
Assistant Superintendent  
Sunday: Morning Worship, 11 a.  
m.

Sunday School through Grade  
9, 11 a. m.  
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal, 10  
a. m.

Wednesday: Ladies' Aid meets,  
1:30 p. m.  
**Christian Science Services**  
In all Christian Science Church-  
es, the Lesson-Sermon read from  
the desk is the same. The public is  
cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, April 3: Subject—Un-  
reality. Golden Text: Psalms 10:  
9, 10—"The judgments of the Lord  
are true and righteous altogether.  
More to be desired are they than  
gold, yea, than much fine gold."

**First Church of Christ Scientist**  
corner of Main and Tenth Streets,  
Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morn-  
ing services at 11 a. m., and Sun-  
day School at the same hour for  
pupils up to the age of 20 years.  
The Wednesday evening meeting is  
at 7:45, including testimonies of  
healing.

**Christian Science Society, Nor-**  
**way, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.**  
Sunday: Services and Sunday  
School at 10:30 a. m.  
2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7:30 p.  
m.

Wednesday evening includes tes-  
timonies of healing.  
You are cordially invited to at-  
tend these services. Everyone is  
welcome.

**The Reorganized Church of**  
**Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints**  
Dixfield

For information concerning ser-  
vices call 824-2823.  
**The Church of Jesus Christ**  
**of Latter-day Saints**

Oxford Branch—at the Branch  
Chapel, Skeetfield Road, Oxford.  
Sunday:  
Priesthood, 9:00 a. m.  
Sunday School, 10:15 a. m.  
Sacrament Meeting, 11:45 p. m.

Tuesday:  
Relief Society (Woman's Organi-  
zation) 9 a. m.  
Primary (3-12 year olds) 6:45  
p. m.  
M.I.A. (12-18 year olds) 7 p. m.

**Holy Resurrection**  
**Orthodox Church**  
Rev. Michael Westerberg  
Petrograd Street  
Berlin, New Hampshire 03570

Saturday, 7:00 p. m. Great Ves-  
pers.  
Sunday, 8:30 a. m. Divine Litur-  
gy.

Feast days announced.  
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## "ADVENTURES IN ATTITUDES" OFFERED BY NEW BUSINESS

Downeast Dynamics is the name  
of a new business recently started  
in the Bethel area by Dave and  
Marcia Denison. The business grew  
out of the recognition that learn-  
ing is a life long process, and that  
business, industry, and organiza-  
tions see a need to provide  
growth experiences for their em-  
ployees. To meet this need, Down-  
east Dynamics is offering a nation-  
ally recognized attitude assessment  
program called "Adventures in  
Attitudes". Although the focus of  
Downeast Dynamics is with busi-  
ness, industry, and organizations,  
"Adventures in Attitudes" employs  
a total person and the concept is de-  
signed for the general public as  
well as specific groups. It is of-  
fered by many colleges and univer-  
sities, and graduate and under-  
graduate credit are available  
through an accredited out of state  
college. Teachers may receive re-  
certification credits through par-  
ticipating in the program.

"Adventures in Attitudes" is a  
thirty hour training program held  
in a positive non-threatening en-  
vironment. It is not a lecture  
course, and no attempt is made to  
impose specific attitudes on those  
attending. Individuals, participat-  
ing in seventy-four different pro-  
jects in a small group setting, de-  
velop an awareness of the dynam-  
ics of attitudes and their effect on  
our work, social and family situ-  
ations, and individually realize  
those attitudes necessary for the  
further development of their own  
abilities. The program is designed  
to help participants achieve a re-  
duction in conflict, improved com-  
munications, better human rela-  
tions and leadership skills, in-  
creased motivation, problem solving  
skills, the establishment of goals,  
and improved self-management.

Downeast Dynamics is currently  
offering the program once a month  
at Bethel Inn, although the next  
session, April 18-20, will be held  
at the Sunday River Inn. Between  
monthly sessions, "Adventures in  
Attitudes" will be offered to spe-  
cific groups at their request. Ar-  
rangements are now under way to  
offer the program to the Maine  
Human Services in Augusta, and  
the Androscoggin Chapter of the  
American Institute of Banking has  
expressed interest in the program  
for its members.

**RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT**  
Death, once again, has chosen  
from our ranks and taken from  
our midst, Sister Jessamine M.  
Gould, a loved member and willing  
worker of our order. We mourn the  
loss of a loyal member but re-  
joice at her freedom from suffer-  
ing. God knew her work to be  
done and guided her to that high-  
er life where sickness and sorrow  
are no more.

Resolved: That Round Moun-  
tain Grange extend to the bereav-  
ed family and other relatives of  
our Sister, our heartfelt sympathy  
and we point them to our Heav-  
enly Father for comfort in their  
hour of trial.

Resolved: That these resolutions  
be placed on our records, that a  
copy be sent to the family of our  
Sister, and one sent to the Cit-  
izen Printers, Inc. for publication  
and our charter be draped in  
mourning for thirty days.

Oh, what a meeting there in the  
skies,  
No tears nor crying shall dim  
our eyes.  
Loved ones united eternally,  
Oh, what a daybreak that morn-  
ing will be.

—Blackmore  
Velma Cummings  
Fred Judkins  
Mary C. Keniston  
Committee on Resolutions  
March 7, 1977

**RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT**  
Once more death has entered  
our ranks and taken from our  
midst, Brother Roger Foster, faith-  
ful and loved member and worker  
of our order, and while we mourn  
the loss of a loyal member we are  
rejoiced at his freedom from suf-  
fering and his entrance into a  
higher life where sickness and  
sorrow are no more.

Resolved: That Round Moun-  
tain Grange extend to the bereav-  
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and we point them to our Heav-  
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of our Brother, and one sent to  
the Citizen Printers, Inc. for pub-  
lication, and our charter be draped  
in mourning for thirty days.

"It's always darkest before the  
dawn,  
Don't be discouraged but carry  
on;  
He'll not forsake you, the sun  
will break  
It's always darkest before the  
dawn."

—Peterson  
Velma Cummings  
Fred Judkins  
Mary C. Keniston  
Committee on Resolutions  
March 7, 1977

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** will  
meet every Wednesday at 8 p. m.  
at the Casco Bank Community  
Room on Main Street — Call 873-  
3895.



**PARTICIPANTS IN ATTITUDE  
ASSESSMENT TRAINING PRO-**

**GRAM INCLUDE:** Standing, left to  
right, Bill Keoskie (Kingfield  
Wood Products), Helen Remsen  
(Eckco Wood Products), Tom Gibbs  
(Newton & Tebbets), Marcia Den-  
ison (instructor), Annie Hastings  
(Androscoggin Home Health), Jim  
Hutchings (P. H. Chadbourne &  
Co.), Lyn Myers, Jeth Pease (Mc-  
Donalds Corp.), Doug Sweet (P.  
H. Chadbourne & Co.), David Den-  
ison (instructor). Seated, left to  
right, Ray Moran (Bethel Savings  
Bank), Bettyann Hastings, Debbie  
Coffin and Mary Ann Brown (Ox-  
ford Bank & Trust).

**WHAT IS TRUTH**  
By Dr. Philip Jackson  
Community Church,  
Rumford Center

Pontius Pilate was an unprin-  
ciple politician. In lonely despera-  
tion he cried: "What is truth?"

The Truth was standing before  
him in the person of Christ. Jesus  
lighted the hazy concepts of deity  
and disclosed the personality,  
power and truth of divinity so  
harmoniously that to see Him was  
to see the heavenly Father. The  
transcendence and the immanence  
of God Almighty were expressed  
with flawless splendor in Christ.  
Now we know what truth is!

Jesus flashed upon men's myo-  
pic minds of spiritual under-  
standing the gift and the guide-  
lines of truth. Ages of specious  
reasoning and millenniums of an-  
xious questing made their poignant  
appeals in Pilate's plaintive ques-  
tion, "What is truth?"

In that thoughtful inquiry there  
was a deep implication. All knowl-  
edge is meaningless and irrele-  
vant to the real purpose of human  
existence, unless there is a focal  
center where fact can be sifted  
from fantasy and TRUTH FROM  
THEORY. Jesus is the Center and  
Circumference of all Truth. HIS  
way is the norm; His message is  
the criterion; His life is the un-  
varying standard. He is still touch-  
ing the perimeter of every branch  
of learning and scientific discov-  
ery. Whatever men think and how-  
ever they rationalize, they must  
yield their hypothesis to the fi-  
nality of His judgement. HE IS  
TRUTH.

Jesus is the truthful answer to  
every tomorrow. Eschatological  
dreams and Christian destiny scin-  
tillate only by His light. The idea  
of a future life and another world  
has always plagued the human  
family. Great truth-seekers of all  
ages have tried to seek some an-  
swer from the other side of  
death. They have painted pretty  
pictures and advanced convincing  
arguments. They have expressed  
plausible reasons for their theo-  
ries and have leaned heavily on  
man's innate desire to outlive  
time and space and matter. Their  
conclusions converge on the brink  
of uncertainty, with immortal  
longings for another life in an-  
other world, sometime on that rid-  
iculous "beautiful isle of some-  
where," which no one knows a  
thing about.

At this very juncture of hope's  
eternal wish, Jesus holds an an-  
swer of the first magnitude above  
the clouded confusion. He has  
brought life and immortality to  
light. There is no doubt any more.  
We know and we are sure that we  
shall live again after this mortal  
existence. Death holds no terrors  
for the Christian. The end of the  
world gives no cause for panic. He  
announced with authentic sim-  
plicity: "I AM THE . . . TRUTH!"

**FOOD STAMP WORKERS**  
**SCHEDULE FOR APRIL**

South Paris: At the Court House  
in the Grand Jury Room every  
Monday and Tuesday from 7:30  
a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

Fryeburg: At the Legion Hall on  
Thursday, April 7 and 21, from  
9:00 a. m. to 12:00 and from 1:00  
p. m. to 4:00 p. m.

Canton: At the Town Office on  
Friday, April 29, from 9:00 a. m.  
to 12:00 (morning only).

Bethel: At the Town Office on  
Wednesday, April 1 and 20 from  
8:30 a. m. to 11:00 a. m. and from  
12:00 to 4:00 p. m.

Rumford: At the Human Serv-  
ices Office Monday through Friday  
from 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. For  
interviews call 364-7884 or long  
distance toll free at 1-800-482-0702.

## Locke Mills

— Mrs. John Mills, Corres. —

Reminder, there will be a car  
wash Saturday, April 2 at the  
Greenwood Fire Station from 10  
a. m. - 2 p. m. weather permitting  
for the benefit of the Telstar ski  
team.

Mrs. Bertha Flanders and Mrs.  
Cora Bennett returned late Tues-  
day night from a three week stay  
in Florida. Mrs. Flanders visited  
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lord and  
Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Jordan in De-  
land and Mrs. Bennett visited her  
daughter and husband, Mr. and  
Mrs. Elden Hathaway in Largo.

Mrs. Flanders also spent a few  
days in Largo. They reported beau-  
tiful weather in Florida and a  
fairly uneventful flight home, the  
biggest problem being the fog  
Tuesday night in Portland where  
they had to circle for 15 minutes  
before being allowed to land.

The drive from Portland to Locke  
Mills was also very foggy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills took  
Marcia to Livermore Falls Friday  
night where she met John Smith  
and his brother and wife, Rev. and  
Mrs. Donald Smith and traveled to  
Portland for dinner at the Hu-Ke-  
Lau. Mr. and Mrs. Mills spent the  
evening in Livermore Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cole and  
children visited her sister and  
husband, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth  
Fairbanks, Sunday, at Allen's  
Mills.

Mrs. Helena Gordon entertained  
at a products party Tuesday eve-  
ning. Those present were Mrs.  
Mandy Parker, Miss Edna Tripp,  
Mrs. Florence Walker, Mrs. Lor-  
rain Mills. Mrs. Gordon's parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. Almon Harmon, Sr.,  
Waterford, were the demonstra-  
tors.

Elton Cole has a new car.  
Sunday dinner guests at the  
home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mills  
were John Smith and Rev. and  
Mrs. Donald Smith, Robbie and  
Chrystal. Ralph Mills celebrated

his 21st birthday Sunday evening  
with cake and ice cream with Mr.  
and Mrs. Mills, Marcia Mills, Mrs.  
Celestine Swan and John Smith  
attending.

Mrs. Lillian Lapham and Mr.  
and Mrs. Everett Cross were in  
Gorham shopping Sunday after-  
noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Erland Scribner  
and Mrs. Ruth Dunham were Sun-  
day callers at the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. Lester Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harthorne  
and family moved Tuesday to the  
new home they have purchased in  
Sunday River.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Kimball  
and son were Sunday visitors at  
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton  
Cole.

Ralph Mills is home from S. M.  
V. T. I., Portland, for a week's  
vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan,  
South Paris, were Sunday visitors  
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nor-  
wood Ford and Mrs. Lettie Ford.  
Mrs. Lettie Ford is feeling a bit  
better from her cold.

The first meeting of the Com-  
munity Club after the winter re-  
cess will be held April 12 at 7:30  
p. m. at the Town Hall.

Correction: It is Leroy Martin,  
Sr., who is a patient at Andrews  
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## West Paris

— Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cram and  
Amy, Oxford, Mr. and Mrs. Terry  
Cram, South Paris, visited with  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley  
Cram, Sunday, March 20.

Gary Inman was home from  
UMO last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Chase and  
Ricky, called on her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. Claude Young, South  
Paris, Sunday, March 20.

his 21st birthday Sunday evening  
with cake and ice cream with Mr.  
and Mrs. Mills, Marcia Mills, Mrs.  
Celestine Swan and John Smith  
attending.

Mrs. Lillian Lapham and Mr.  
and Mrs. Everett Cross were in  
Gorham shopping Sunday after-  
noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Erland Scribner  
and Mrs. Ruth Dunham were Sun-  
day callers at the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. Lester Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harthorne  
and family moved Tuesday to the  
new home they have purchased in  
Sunday River.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Kimball  
and son were Sunday visitors at  
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton  
Cole.

Ralph Mills is home from S. M.  
V. T. I., Portland, for a week's  
vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan,  
South Paris, were Sunday visitors  
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nor-  
wood Ford and Mrs. Lettie Ford.  
Mrs. Lettie Ford is feeling a bit  
better from her cold.

The first meeting of the Com-  
munity Club after the winter re-  
cess will be held April 12 at 7:30  
p. m. at the Town Hall.

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## Spring's the Time to Build

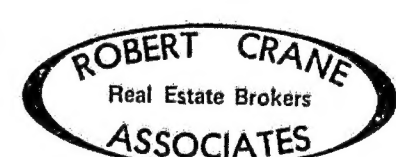
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### STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Karen L. Brown

The Legislative Taxation Committee held two days of hearings on eight education finance proposals this week. The second day of hearings became necessary due to the severe winter storm which prevented an expected record crowd from attending the public hearing Wednesday, March 23.

The Uniform Property Tax is perhaps the most controversial issue facing the session. In attendance at the public hearing were many legislators, concerned educators and citizens to listen to the various proposals affecting the state's school funding law.

Three of the proposals retain the Uniform Property Tax and are designed to prevent the state from \$28 million surplus that would be generated by a uniform property tax rate of 12.5 mills. This potential surplus is the result of a recent revaluation of the state which increased our total valuation by two billion dollars, a figure higher than originally expected; taxing the new valuation at 12.5 mills would produce the extra \$28 million.

Another House member, representing a coastal community, wants to reduce the rate to nine mills. Representative Morton of Farmington has sponsored a comprehensive tax package that includes a provision for an 11 mill rate, the nearest whole rate producing \$296 million; this provision was discussed apart from the rest of the bill.

There were four measures calling for abolition of the Uniform Property Tax. "An Act to Repeal the State Property Tax" is before the Legislature as the result of a

petition drive. If none of the bills abolishing the Uniform Property Tax, including this one passes the Legislature, this bill will go to the voters in the fall as a referendum question.

Rep. Mackel is sponsoring L. D. 1026, a bill that would replace the present Uniform Property Tax with a system emphasizing local tax effort and funded from the General Fund. Mackel's bill would still require the Commissioner of Educational and Cultural Services and the Governor to recommend funding levels for education. The Legislature would continue to set a per-pupil level of funding and would see that state funds were distributed to municipalities to cover up to half their education costs. A community's tax effort, determined by comparing state valuation with local mill rate, would be the benchmark to which much state aid they were to receive. Unlike the present law, Mackel's bill would allow communities to spend more than the state recommends.

House Republican Leader Linwood Palmer has proposed a "ratio system" where the state would arrive at an average mill rate to be used as a benchmark for all communities to determine their individual ratios for eligibility for state funding.

In the final analysis, Mackel and Palmer have introduced bills that allow communities to decide locally at their town meetings or through their municipal government, the property tax level they are to raise for the support of public education rather than mandate a uniform mill rate levy on all property—the decision would be made locally rather than in Augusta.

A recent alternative is a proposal submitted by the Maine Municipal Association that is not yet in bill form. Sponsor Rep. Greenlaw testified at the hearing that it would abolish the Uniform Property Tax and retain the existing per pupil allocation system determined by the Legislature. Municipalities would receive state aid equal to the local share or equal to the state valuation for 1977-78 times 12 mills, whichever is lower; this will eliminate "pay-in," a feature of the Uniform Property Tax.

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### WEDDING RECEPTION FOR MR. AND MRS. DALE SMITH

A wedding reception was held for Mr. and Mrs. Dale E. Smith of Locke Mills on March 28, 1977 at the Locke Mills Legion Hall.

Those present were Mrs. Zora Sessions, Alston Roberts, Miss Janice Clement, Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Clement and Gary, all of Andover; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Merrill, Miss Dorothy Bartlett, Mrs. Arlene Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Curtis and Kyle, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Young, Mrs. Jean Grover and Jim, Mrs. Opal Tyler and Quentin, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mason, all of Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bessey, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stearns, Danny and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Wilma Bessey, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stearns and Yvonne Sessions, all of Rumford; Mr. and Mrs. John Chase of Locke Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rysen, Janet, and James of West Paris, Mrs. Exilda Parker and Joe Brackett of Norway, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Ingerson of Jefferson, N. H., the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith and Jeffrey.

The young couple received many nice gifts. The wedding cake was made and decorated by Mrs. Janice Smith. The guest book was circulated by Miss Linda Stearns.

Those sending gifts, but unable to attend were George Olson of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway of Locke Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Hammond of Rumford Corner, Mrs. Ava Bessey of Hanover, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Monk of Gorham, N. H., Mrs. Urban Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. David Foster of Bethel, Miss Gail Sidelinger of Andover, Miss Valida and Mrs. Louise Fournier of Rumford, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Gross of Hanover.

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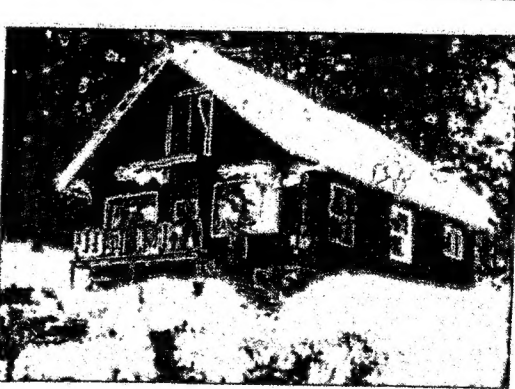
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## North Paris

**Eveline Barrett, Corres.**  
In last week's news items, I gave the Collette's address wrong. They moved to Wilmington, Del., where their youngest daughter, Anita lives. The older daughter, Patricia, lives in New Jersey, an hour and a half drive from Wilmington.

The Community Club met with Joe and Eveline Barrett March 24 with 11 members present. Philip Hyam, Beryl Oja, and Elwood Yeaton, will have charge letting the hall and another set of new locks will be installed. The annual meeting will be held May 4 at the hall, when officers for the year will be elected.

Many from our little hamlet attended the annual minstrel show at West Paris, March 25-26. I didn't take Joe and now I am sorry, for everyone said it was a good show.

Tom Hart and Mrs. Inez Hart were on their way to Togus on Thursday morning when Tom's car skidded on the icy road and went out of control on the Turner road, then was hit head on by a car full of students on their way to school. Damage to Tom's car about \$150. Inez Hart complained of a sore jaw.

Corey Bonney Sr. is a patient at the Norway hospital.

Joe Barrett has added another year so he is 80. Today, March 28, going to Doctor then out to eat. Sunday he had a lovely bouquet and cake brought to him minus a few candles, by Doris Lawrence and Jimbo Coffin. Mrs. Patty Bean, Lavinia, Danny and Kimberley, Paris Hill, called Sunday afternoon.

Men from the oil company have been working at Neal Cohen's this past week so they will be moving soon. Maybe they will be able to celebrate their first wedding anniversary in their new home.

Callers at the Lawrences were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lawrence, East Stoneham, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Coffin, Jeff and Jim. Jeff and Jim spent Saturday night and went to their first minstrel show and they were all eyes and enjoyed it. Sunday evening the Lawrences called on Mr. and Mrs. Herman Card, Norway.

Julia Oja delivered cards that she had sold on Wednesday. School was closed due to our spring storm.

Mrs. Doris Taylor was at the Norway hospital on Wednesday for a check up. Her blood pressure is a problem since her son was born.

Hope the house cleaning is progressing well.

## NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER FOR SALE

NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER SALE, WHITE MOUNTAIN NATIONAL FOREST, COLD BASIN SALE, located in U. S. Tracts 37, 37A, 58, and 450, Evans Notch Ranger District, in Chatham, Carroll County, New Hampshire; and in Batchelders Grant and Stow, Oxford County, Maine. Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, Forest Service Building, Laconia, New Hampshire, at 2:00 p. m. local time at the place of bid opening, May 2, 1977, for an estimated 2,379 cords of timber marked or otherwise designated for cutting. The estimated volume by species product and the minimum acceptable bid rate are: 35 Ccf hemlock and other softwood sawlogs at \$14.35 per Ccf; 268 Ccf red maple and miscellaneous species hardwood sawlogs at \$15.11 per Ccf; 22 Ccf sugar maple sawlogs at \$34.14 per Ccf; 22 Ccf yellow birch sawlogs at \$59.55 per Ccf; 153 Ccf paper birch millwood at \$40.42 per Ccf; 1,715 Ccf hardwood pulpwood at \$3.54 per Ccf; and 34 Ccf hemlock and other softwood pulpwood at \$4.93 per Ccf. The required bid guarantee is \$400.00. Applicable purchaser road credit is \$14,110.00. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Full information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale, and the submission of bids should be obtained from the District Ranger, Bethel, Maine, or the Forest Supervisor, Laconia, New Hampshire.

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## West Greenwood

**Carolyn M. Colby, Corres.**  
Ruth Wilkinson, Wilton, visited Irene Wilson Sunday.  
Donnie and Nancy Moore brought Leslie Moore home from Connecticut Saturday. Leslie has spent two weeks with her parents helping out because her mother had received a bad burn from hot fat.

Mrs. Antoinette Demers, Auburn, and son Mark Demers, his wife and children, Saco, visited Zip and Muriel Gilbert, Saturday.  
Lee Kenison, Buxton, had dinner with us, Sunday.

## South Woodstock

**Olive Davis, Corres.**  
Mrs. Bruce Thurlow has been in the Norway hospital under treatment for the last two weeks. I hope everyone has thought to send her cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant and 'Rusty' Strout were Sunday callers on Olive Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell were at the Norway hospital calling on her brother, Clyde Knights who has undergone surgery during the last two weeks.

Many from this area attended the Minstrels Showboat at West Paris Friday or Saturday night. The proceeds go to the Universalist Church.

Schools were closed Wednesday because of the heavy snowfall. We hope it is the last snow storm of the season.

Spring time has arrived. It's time to start your seedlings on the growing of the moon. I have two cucumbers, house plants growing.

Did you ever hear of watering them with aspirin and a form of fertilizer? The directions say "Don't forget the aspirin," so I am going to follow directions and I'll let you know if I have any house grown cucumbers later.

Did you read the article L. L. Dwell in the Sun on Indian Land Claims? To me it makes a lot of sense. Quote "In 1790 land was worth nothing. Multiply one hundred eighty-five years by one million plus dollars per year that we have given Penobscot and Passamaquoddy Indians to live on. "Who Owns Whom?" He claims the lawyers will get their pay with interest from the Indians and the Indians will end up with nothing. I believe that the Indians should drop this and join with us in building suitable homes and becoming better educated to enter the fields of employment successfully.

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## Andover

**Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Corres.**  
The Heart Fund drive which is usually done in February will be conducted from March 28 through April 23. Mrs. Florence Michaud is chairman and her workers are Faith Morgan, Leigh Michaud, Louise Dunn, Ann Sumerton, Ethelene Merrill, Kathi Hutchins, Rachel Farrington, Rhonda Palmer, Lori Gammon, Mona Roberts, and Elaine Roseberry.

Danny Thurston came home from Rumford Community Hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting spent several days last week at Windham Hill, guest of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Cutting.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul DeShong and family are moving to Carmel Valley, Calif. Mr. DeShong is being transferred there in connection with his work for Comsat.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Michaud of Machias are receiving congratulations on the birth of their first child, a son, born Feb. 27. He has been named Thomas Jr. He weighed in at 6 pounds. Sharing honors as grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Armand Michaud and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crossman of Bermuda.

Walter McHugh visited his sister, Mrs. Paul Nevel over the week end.

Miss Sharold Nuppula spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Nuppula.

On Tuesday, March 22, the Andover Historical Society met at the home of Austin and Virginia Dalgale at 7:30 p. m. Plans for extensive repairs on the Historical Building were discussed, including outside protective lighting.

The next meeting will be on Thursday, April 28 at the Christian Education Building at 7:30 p. m. Laura Learned will speak on Old Homesteads of North Andover. Refreshments will be served and everyone is invited.

A 25th wedding anniversary party was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey by their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mills Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston at the Christian Education Building, Sunday, March 27. Many of their friends and relatives came from throughout the state.

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Assessors of Woodstock, Maine

## Songo Pond

**Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Marsters York returned to their home in Vermont Sunday after visiting relatives in Winthrop and calling on the Jesse Doyens.

Jesse Doyen is a patient at the Rumford hospital for a few days treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bancroft spent the week end with the Paul Halle family in Lisbon Falls. Friday morning they attended the Morrill - Hawkins wedding in Freeport. They also visited Mrs. Lois Verrill who is a patient at the Parkview Hospital in Brunswick.

Mr. and Mrs. David Salway were in Portland Tuesday where he attended an insurance seminar.

Mrs. Jennie Perkins hit a power pole near her home one day last week. She was uninjured but her car was severely damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lapham and Timmie and Mrs. Marian Lincoln called on relatives in Norway Sunday afternoon and the Jack Greigs in Sumner.

Recent callers of Mrs. Alice Kimball were Mrs. Dorothy Adams and Erin of Hanover, Mrs. Ethel Bean, Sarah and Amber of Oufield, Mrs. Patty Noll and Trinity and Mrs. Sue Merriam.

Most people are about as happy as they make up their minds to be.—Lincoln

state. Lester Bailey and Helen Ward were married in South Paris by Rev. Kenneth Gray, March 22, 1952. They were attended by Clarence Bailey, brother of Lester and Joyce Maxwell, Mrs. Bailey's sister. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey have lived in Andover most of their married life, where they are operating a large dairy farm. They are the parents of two children, a daughter, Mrs. Brenda Bailey and a son, Brian, both of Andover. They also have two grandchildren.

There were about 81 friends and relatives in attendance.

Spring must be here Saw a great fat robin in the trees in back of my house.

Many of Jon Akers little friends gathered at his house after school to celebrate his birthday, March 28.

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There will be business to discuss after a three months recess during the winter months. A Council meeting is being held at the Silent Woman, Waterville, April 12 noon.

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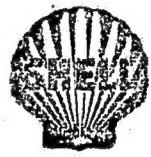
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— Mrs. Colby

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## Greenwood City

— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

Winter's days are nearly done. They sob for lost glory. The March winds bite and claw. Even the new snow slumps wearily, now, its beauty gone.

Our fourth month approaches, a month of magic, and the climbing sun will send out more direct rays, tiny streams will begin to swell to crescendo. When this happens spring is surely near.

Another morning on the crust just before the snow came, my sister and I climbed to the hill top in the hay fields. The sky was still and blue and the cauliflower clouds seemed to hang in the south east. We first followed the bulldozer road then after crossing the fence turned right to the fields. Some stray currents of air rustled the beech leaves by the wall, momentarily, with a sound of rain.

We stopped to see where the woodchuck had left his burrow where for the winter its fat had kept the machinery of life running in low gear, there in hibernation. No grass yet so I wonder how he survives unless perhaps on the frozen apples nearby. We didn't see one but they have been seen behind the farm house. In summer I have seen them testing various plants for food but I have never seen one drink.

Turning here we studied the mountains, ridge after ridge, running across the west and north; each curve of a different shape and touched by different shadows. Red squirrels chattered at us as we progressed from the bounds of one territory to the next.

We came to the snowmobile road well worn. After studying the lay of the land and testing the crust in the woods we decided to "bush whack" down over the hill.

My sister asked, "Do you know the way?" I assured her that I did. So off we went. We threaded our way through the hemlocks and on down toward an old trail which would take us home. We crossed a little rivulet that had cut a deep channel through a bank and rushed on beneath the crusty top. As

I stepped, I wondered if it would hold. The firmness was beginning to soften. It held.

Turning right again, I came on to the road where I had hoped I would.

The trees tossed their heads saucily in the fresh breeze. The chickadees were busy here. High up they certainly had a nice view.

In a short time we could look down over the pond below us, like a gray mist lying asleep in its cradle of trees.

It was all so quiet, so full of hushed peace.

We came to the spring road and followed it home.

Different people who have different interests would not have enjoyed an outing like this. As for me, sitting by a tree, walking down an old road, following a wood trail, observing the waters at sunset and so many other out-of-door pleasures all symbolize everyday satisfaction of country life.

Annie Mills returned to her home in Shapleigh after visiting us for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holt and son, Danny, Windsor, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt.

Jeri Holt attended a work shop in Norway on Saturday.

Doris Hayes, Etta Morris, and I attended the minstrel show at West Paris on Friday evening.

Club Eight met with me on Wednesday afternoon. The hostess prize was won by Doris Hayes.

Fay Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan, called on Ruth Hastings at her home in South Paris, on Friday.

We called on Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Nottage, South Paris, on Sunday and found Carroll better but still unable to be up except for a short time.

Doris Hayes and I met with others of the T. T. Club at Doris Slattery's for dinner Tuesday.

Several of the family were together at the Hayes Homestead on Saturday: Del and Betty Hayes, Auburn; Duane Hayes and children, West Paris; Glenn and Kevin Hayes, Gray.

Rolly, Doris, Elmer, and Scot Hayes had dinner on Sunday at Katie's Kitchen, Snow Falls.

## West Bethel

— Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Corres. —

Pleasant Valley Grange convened at the hall on Thursday evening, March 24, with 18 members present. A 6:30 supper preceded the meeting, served by hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ferrand and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Paul. It was decided to work the first and second degrees at the 28th. Meetings during the winter months have been held in the dining hall on account of heating the large hall upstairs. The April meeting will be in the upper hall where it will be more convenient for degree work. Supper will precede this meeting with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mason as hosts.

The next meeting of the Chapel Aid Society of West Bethel Union Church will be held on Wednesday, April 13 at the home of Sheila Head. Each member to bring an article wrapped for the auction, which will be held at this meeting. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy were in West Paris Sunday and called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Downing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Kneeland of Cherryfield, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Grover Jr., and children, and Bethany and Melissa Smith of Fryeburg, spent the week end with Mrs. Libbie Kneeland.

Mrs. Gordon Mason's granddaughter, Mrs. Debra Coulombe, and little daughter, Jessica, came Sunday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Mason.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lofreda and Mrs. Helmi Cummings of Portland, were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy's.

Miss Lillian Lovejoy of Ledgeview Memorial Home, West Paris, is spending a few days with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lovejoy. Mrs. Lovejoy went to West Paris to bring her to West Bethel.

Mrs. Dorothy Hale's son, Steven, of Belmont, Mass., came on the week end to visit his mother. She returned to Massachusetts with him for a few days visit.

Chester Wheeler was in Portland Friday to see his doctor. He had

put on a little weight. He is having treatment now in Norway.

Sunday was a beautiful day in this area with temperatures in the 50° range midday. A lot of people took advantage of the nice weather to attend church service, call on friends and enjoy walks. There is still enough snow left in some places, so people can use their snow machines. A group took their machines by truck to Grafton, where they took the trail to Upton and the Umbagog Lake area Sunday.

Mrs. Luella Andrews spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Marilyn Wheeler, and family.

Monday morning, partly cloudy, with rain predicted tonight for this area. Temperature 28° at

6:30, mid-morning 46° and still rising, as clouds disappear and sun breaks through.

Mrs. George Luxton reports that her brothers, Stephen and Stanley Clough, formerly of West Bethel, are now located as follows: Stephen in Alaska, where he has been for several years; and Stanley is in North Carolina. They are the twin sons of Roger Clough of West Bethel Flat Road.

Richard Hutchinson returned home from the Rumford Community Hospital Friday and is reported to be feeling much better.

If anyone has any items for my column please call me or bring it in. I would be glad to receive news from any of the new residents in the West Bethel area.

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1st	1	1 to 1,411,760	1 to 352,940	1 to 44,118
2nd	5	1 to 282,352	1 to 70,588	1 to 8,824
3rd	25	1 to 56,470	1 to 14,118	1 to 1,765
4th	125	1 to 28,235	1 to 7,059	1 to 882
5th	625	1 to 5,647	1 to 1,412	1 to 177
6th	3,125	1 to 1,129	1 to 282	1 to 35
7th	15,625	1 to 226	1 to 56	1 to 7
8th	78,125	1 to 45	1 to 11	1 to 1
TOTAL	100,000			

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Round Steak

\$1.08

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Sirloin Steak

\$1.28

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Round Roast

\$1.18

TABLET BEEF - USDA CHOICE

Round Tip Roast

\$1.38

CARNATION - Chunk Light

Tuna

49¢

6 1/2 oz. Cans

SALTINES

39¢

SWEET BUNS

79¢

BREAD

89¢

Evaporated Milk

\$1.00

IVORY SOAP

79¢

WISK

\$1.09

BATH TISSUE

69¢

PANTY HOSE

88¢

POTATO CHIPS

69¢

FRIED CHICKEN

\$1.89

GLAZED DONUTS

69¢

CORONET

\$1.29

KIRSCHNERS

Knockwurst

\$1.39

LUNCHEON MEATS

59¢

Haddock Fillets

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JORDAN'S - NATURAL CASING

Franks

\$1.29

JORDAN'S - PAUL BUNYAN

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CHICKEN BREASTS

99¢

BEEF LIVERS

59¢

FRANKS

69¢

CUBED STEAK

\$1.68

RUMP STEAK

\$2.59

TABLET BEEF - USDA CHOICE

ROUND TIP STEAK

\$1.68

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ROUND STEAK

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TABLET BEEF - USDA CHOICE

RUMP ROAST

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ORANGE JUICE

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CHEESE

89¢

MARGARINE

89¢

MAYONNAISE

99¢

CRABMEAT

\$1.44

SPAM

59¢

BEEF STEW

\$1.19

CATSUP

49¢

TOMATO PASTE

49¢

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE

49¢

SOUP

99¢

SYRUP

79¢

Jell-o Gelatin

89¢

BATHROOM CLEANER

89¢

GLAD WRAP

59¢

GLAD SANDWICH BAGS

19¢

GLAD TRASH BAGS

99¢

IVORY SOAP

79¢

## East Stoneham

— Gladys Kilgore, Corres. —

Mrs. Miriam Higgins and daughter Corille and children, visited Mrs. Helen Grover last week.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Millett, who were married Saturday afternoon. A reception was held at the town hall. They will make their home in Brownfield.

Mrs. Grace Nelson and Mrs. Delia Ricker joined several of the senior citizens at North Waterford Thursday and they all went to Augusta on the mini bus.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker of Bethel visited his sister, Gladys Kilgore Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heino of Melrose, Mass., were week end visitors here and attended the wedding of her nephew, Gary Millett.

Mrs. Peggy Pinkham and husband visited her parents, the Dwight Grover's Saturday.

Mrs. Pat Buck and daughter, Cindy, went to the shopping center in South Paris Friday.

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Friday ..... 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Saturday ..... 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Sunday ..... 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.

Monday - Tuesday -

Wednesday ... 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Coupons Good Through Sat., April 2.



## North Paris

Eveline Barrett, Corres. — In last week's news items, I gave the Collette's address wrong. They moved to Wilmington, Del., where their youngest daughter, Anita lives. The older daughter, Patricia, lives in New Jersey, an hour and a half drive from Wilmington.

The Community Club met with Joe and Eveline Barrett March 24 with 11 members present. Philip Hyam, Beryl Oja, and Elwood Yeaton, will have charge letting the hall and another set of new locks will be installed. The annual meeting will be held May 4 at the hall, when officers for the year will be elected.

Many from our little hamlet attended the annual minstrel show at West Paris, March 25-26. I didn't take Joe and now I am sorry, for everyone said it was a good show.

Tom Hart and Mrs. Inez Hart were on their way to Togus on Thursday morning when Tom's car skidded on the icy road and went out of control on the Turner road, then was hit head on by a car full of students on their way to school. Damage to Tom's car about \$150. Inez Hart complained of a sore jaw.

Corey Bonney Sr. is a patient at the Norway hospital.

Joe Barrett has added another year so he is 80. Today, March 28, going to Doctor then out to eat. Sunday he had a lovely bouquet and cake brought to him minus a few candles, by Doris Lawrence and Jimbo Coffin. Mrs. Patty Bean, Lavinia, Danny and Kimberley, Paris Hill, called Sunday afternoon.

Men from the oil company have been working at Neal Cohen's this past week so they will be moving soon. Maybe they will be able to celebrate their first wedding anniversary in their new home.

Callers at the Lawrences were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lawrence, East Stoneham, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Coffin, Jeff and Jim. Jeff and Jim spent Saturday night and went to their first minstrel show and they were all eyes and enjoyed it. Sunday evening the Lawrences called on Mr. and Mrs. Herman Card, Norway.

Julia Oja delivered cards that she had sold on Wednesday. School was closed due to our spring storm.

Mrs. Doris Taylor was at the Norway hospital on Wednesday for a check up. Her blood pressure is a problem since her son was born.

Hope the house cleaning is progressing well.

## NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER

FOR SALE  
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SALE, WHITE MOUNTAIN NATIONAL FOREST, COLD BASIN SALE, located in U. S. Tracts 37, 37a, 58, and 450, Evans Notch Ranger District, in Chatham, Carroll County, New Hampshire; and in Batchelders Grant and Stow, Oxford County, Maine. Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, Forest Service Building, Laconia, New Hampshire, at 2:00 p. m. local time at the place of bid opening, May 2, 1977, for an estimated 2,279 Ccf of timber marked or otherwise designated for cutting. The estimated volume by species product and the minimum acceptable bid rate are: 35 Ccf hemlock and other softwood sawlogs at \$14.35 per Ccf; 288 Ccf red maple and miscellaneous species hardwood sawlogs at \$15.11 per Ccf; 52 Ccf sugar maple sawlogs at \$34.14 per Ccf; 22 Ccf yellow birch sawlogs at \$59.55 per Ccf; 153 Ccf paper birch millwood at \$40.42 per Ccf; 1,715 Ccf hardwood pulpwood at \$3.54 per Ccf; and 34 Ccf hemlock and other softwood pulpwood at \$4.93 per Ccf. The required bid guarantee is \$400.00. Applicable purchaser road credit is \$14,110.00. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Full information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale, and the submission of bids should be obtained from the District Ranger, Bethel, Maine, or the Forest Supervisor, Laconia, New Hampshire.

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## West Greenwood

Carolyn M. Colby, Corres. — Ruth Wilkinson, Wilton, visited Irene Wilson Sunday.

Donnie and Nancy Moore brought Leslie Moore home from Connecticut Saturday. Leslie has spent two weeks with her parents helping out because her mother had received a bad burn from hot fat.

Mrs. Antoinette Demers, Auburn, and son Mark Demers, his wife and children, Saco, visited Zip and Muriel Gilbert, Saturday. Lee Kenison, Buxton, had dinner with us, Sunday.

## South Woodstock

Olive Davis, Corres. —

Mrs. Bruce Thurlow has been in the Norway hospital under treatment for the last two weeks. I hope everyone has thought to send her cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant and 'Rusty' Strout were Sunday callers on Olive Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell were at the Norway hospital calling on her brother, Clyde Knights who has undergone surgery during the last two weeks.

Many from this area attended the Minstrels Showboat at West Paris Friday or Saturday night. The proceeds go to the Universalist Church.

Schools were closed Wednesday because of the heavy snowfall. We hope it is the last snow storm of the season.

Spring time has arrived. It's time to start your seedlings on the growing of the moon. I have two cucumbers, house plants growing. Did you ever hear of watering them with aspirin and a form of fertilizer? The directions say "Don't forget the aspirin," so I am going to follow directions and I'll let you know if I have any house grown cucumbers later.

Did you read the article L. L. Dwellier in the Sun on Indian Land Claims? To me it makes a lot of sense. Quote "In 1790 land was worth nothing. Multiply one hundred eighty-five years by one million plus dollars per year that we have given Penobscot and Passamaquoddy Indians to live on: "Who Owes Whom?" He claims the lawyers will get their pay with interest from the Indians and the Indians will end up with nothing. I believe that the Indians should drop this and join with us in building suitable homes and becoming better educated to enter the fields of employment successfully.

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Richard E. Felt  
M. Parker Allen  
John H. Hall, Jr.  
Assessors of Woodstock, Maine

## Andover

Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Corres. —

The Heart Fund drive which is usually done in February will be conducted from March 28 through April 23. Mrs. Florence Michaud is chairman and her workers are Faith Morgan, Leigh Michaud, Louise Dunn, Ann Sumerton, Ethelene Merrill, Kathi Hutchins, Rachel Farrington, Rhonda Palmer, Lori Gammon, Mona Roberts, and Elaine Roseberry.

Danny Thurston came home from Rumford Community Hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting spent several days last week at Windham Hill, guest of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Cutting.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul DeShong and family are moving to Carmel Valley, Calif. Mr. DeShong is being transferred there in connection with his work for Comsat.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Michaud of Machias are receiving congratulations on the birth of their first child, a son, born Feb. 27. He has been named Thomas Jr. He weighed in at 6 pounds. Sharing honors as grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Armand Michaud and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crossman of Bermuda.

Walter McHugh visited his sister, Mrs. Paul Nevel over the week end.

Miss Sharold Nuppula spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Nuppula.

On Tuesday, March 22, the Andover Historical Society met at the home of Austin and Virginia Dalgate at 7:30 p. m. Plans for extensive repairs on the Historical Building were discussed, including outside progressive lighting.

The next meeting will be on Thursday, April 28 at the Christian Education Building at 7:30 p. m. Laura Learned will speak on Old Homesteads of North Andover. Refreshments will be served and everyone is invited.

A 25th wedding anniversary party was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey by their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mills Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston at the Christian Education Building, Sunday, March 27. Many of their friends and relatives came from throughout the state.

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Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Marsters York returned to their home in Vermont Sunday after visiting relatives in Winthrop and calling on the Jesse Doyens.

Jesse Doyen is a patient at the Rumford hospital for a few days treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bancroft spent the week end with the Paul Halle family in Lisbon Falls. Friday morning they attended the Morrill - Hawkins wedding in Freeport. They also visited Mrs. Lois Verrill who is a patient at the Parkview Hospital in Brunswick.

Mr. and Mrs. David Salway were in Portland Tuesday where he attended an insurance seminar.

Mrs. Jennie Perkins hit a power pole near her home one day last week. She was uninjured but her car was severely damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lapham and Timmie and Mrs. Marian Lincoln called on relatives in Norway Sunday afternoon and the Jack Greigs in Sumner.

Recent callers of Mrs. Alice Kimball were Mrs. Dorothy Adams and Erin of Hanover, Mrs. Ethel Bean, Sarah and Amber of Otisfield, Mrs. Patty Noll and Trinity and Mrs. Sue Merriam.

Most people are about as happy as they make up their minds to be.—Lincoln

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Many of Jon Akers little friends gathered at his house after school to celebrate his birthday, March 28.

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## WORLD WAR I BARRACKS AND AUXILIARY TO MEET

The World War Barracks and Auxiliary #2943 will hold their first Spring meeting Tuesday, April 5, at the Legion Hall on Vernon Street, preceded by a pot luck dinner, served by Rose Taylor, Marjorie Cummings and Jane Van at 12 noon.

There will be business to discuss after a three months recess during the winter months. A Council meeting is being held at the Silent Woman, Waterville, April 9.

The meetings will open at 1:30 p. m. with President Leona Curtis and Com. Albert Skillings presiding.

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**Greenwood City**

— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

Winter's days are nearly done. They sob for lost glory. The March winds bite and claw. Even the new snow slumps wearily, now, its beauty gone.

Our fourth month approaches, a month of magic, and the climbing sun will send out more direct rays, tiny streams will begin to swell to crescendo. When this happens spring is surely near.

Another morning on the crust just before the snow came, my sister and I climbed to the hill top in the hay fields. The sky was still and blue and the cauliflower clouds seemed to hang in the south east. We first followed the bulldozer road then after crossing the fence turned right to the fields. Some stray currents of air rustled the beech leaves by the wall, momentarily, with a sound of rain.

We stopped to see where the woodchuck had left his burrow where for the winter his fat had kept the machinery of life running in low gear, there in hibernation. No grass yet so I wonder how he survives unless perhaps on the frozen apples near by. We didn't see one but they have been seen behind the farm house. In summer I have seen them testing various plants for food but I have never seen one drink.

Turning here we studied the mountains, ridge after ridge, running across the west and north; each curve of a different shape and touched by different shadows. Red squirrels chattered at us as we progressed from the bounds of one territory to the next.

We came to the snowmobile road well worn. After studying the lay of the land and testing the crust in the woods we decided to "bush whack" down over the hill.

My sister asked, "Do you know the way?" I assured her that I did. So off we went. We threaded our way through the hemlocks and on down toward an old trail which would take us home. We crossed a little rivulet that had cut a deep channel through a bank and rushed on beneath the crusty top. As

I stepped, I wondered if it would hold. The firmness was beginning to soften. It held.

Turning right again, I came on to the road where I had hoped I would.

The trees tossed their heads saucily in the fresh breeze. The chickadees were busy here. High up they certainly had a nice view.

In a short time we could look down over the pond below us, like a gray mist lying asleep in its cradle of trees.

It was all so quiet, so full of hushed peace. We came to the spring road and followed it home.

Different people who have different interests would not have enjoyed an outing like this. As for me, sitting by a tree, walking down an old road, following a wood trail, observing the waters at sunset and so many other outdoor pleasures all symbolize everyday satisfaction of country life.

Annie Mills returned to her home in Shapleigh after visiting us for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holt and son, Danny, Windsor, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt.

Jeri Holt attended a work shop in Norway on Saturday.

Doris Hayes, Etta Morris, and I attended the minstrel show at West Paris on Friday evening.

Club Eight met with me on Wednesday afternoon. The hostess prize was won by Doris Hayes.

Fay Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan, called on Ruth Hastings at her home in South Paris, on Friday.

We called on Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Nottage, South Paris, on Sunday and found Carroll better but still unable to be up except for a short time.

Doris Hayes and I met with others of the T. T. Club at Doris Slattery's for dinner Tuesday.

Several of the family were together at the Hayes Homestead on Saturday: Del and Betty Hayes, Auburn; Duane Hayes and children, West Paris; Glenn and Kevin Hayes, Gray.

Rolly, Doris, Elmer, and Scot Hayes had dinner on Sunday at Katie's Kitchen, Snow Falls.

**West Bethel**

— Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Corres. —

Pleasant Valley Grange convened at the hall on Thursday evening, March 24, with 18 members present. A 6:30 supper preceded the meeting, served by hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fervand and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Paul. It was decided to work the first and second degrees at the April meeting, which will be the 28th. Meetings during the winter months have been held in the dining hall on account of heating the large hall upstairs. The April meeting will be in the upper hall where it will be more convenient for degree work. Supper will precede this meeting with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mason as hosts.

The next meeting of the Chapel Aid Society of West Bethel Union Church will be held on Wednesday, April 13 at the home of Sheila Head. Each member to bring an article wrapped for the auction, which will be held at this meeting. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy were in West Paris Sunday and called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Downing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Kneebled of Cherryfield, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Grover Jr., and children, and Bethany and Melissa Smith of Fryeburg, spent the week end with Mrs. Libbie Kneebled.

Mrs. Gordon Mason's granddaughter, Mrs. Debra Coulombe, and little daughter, Jessica, came Sunday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Mason.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lofredda and Mrs. Helmi Cummings of Portland, were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy's.

Miss Lillian Lovejoy of Lodgeview Memorial Home, West Paris, is spending a few days with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lovejoy. Mrs. Lovejoy went to West Paris to bring her to West Bethel.

Mrs. Dorothy Hale's son, Steven, of Belmont, Mass., came on the week end to visit his mother. She returned to Massachusetts with him for a few days visit.

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**East Stoneham**

— Gladys Kilgore, Corres. —

Mrs. Miriam Higgins and daughter Corille and children, visited Mrs. Helen Grover last week.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Millett, who were married Saturday afternoon. A reception was held at the town hall. They will make their home in Brownfield.

Mrs. Grace Nelson and Mrs. Delia Tucker joined several of the senior citizens at North Waterford Thursday and they all went to Augusta on the mini bus.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker of Bethel visited his sister, Gladys Kilgore Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Helmo of Melrose, Mass., were week end visitors here and attended the wedding of her nephew, Gary Millett.

Mrs. Peggy Pinkham and husband visited her parents, the Dwight Grover's Saturday.

Mrs. Pat Buck and daughter, Cindy, went to the shopping center in South Paris Friday.

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You are hereby notified that the Assessors of Bethel will be in session at the Town Office on

Monday, April 4, 1977  
From 10 A. M. to 5 P. M.

for the purpose of receiving true and perfect lists of all property, both Real and Personal, owned by you on the first day of April, 1977, subject to Taxation under the laws of the State of Maine.

And you are hereby notified that failing to bring in such lists bars you from any appeal or consideration on the part of the Assessors or the County Commissioners.

Blanks for filing returns may be had on application.

**EXEMPTION—VETERANS & WIDOWS OF VETERANS**  
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Any veteran or veteran's widow or minor child of a veteran who is entitled to an exemption under the tax exemption law and who has not previously applied must do so before April 1, 1977 for the taxable year 1977.

Proof of service and disability must be shown when exemption is applied for.

An otherwise eligible person who neglects to comply with the requirement forfeits such exemption benefits as he might have had for the current year. Except as specifically provided in the case of an unmarried widow or minor child of a widow.

The 107th Legislature enacted legislation changing the amount of exemption to Veterans and Widows of Veterans, to be applied to the valuation of their property from a flat \$3,500 to \$4,000 adjusted by the ratio of assessment in the municipality.

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## CHARLES W. NAMMARAH

Charles W. Nammarah, 63, of 28 Hayden Street, West Quincy, Mass., died Friday, March 18, 1977 at the Lemuel Shattuck Hospital in Jamaica Plain, Mass., after a brief illness.

Born in Weymouth, Mass., he had lived in West Quincy most of his life. He was a retired self-employed bricklayer.

Husband of the late Regina M. (Audette) Nammarah, he is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Regina Albino of Mount Rest, S. C., Mrs. Sandra Caton of Bethel, Maine, and Mrs. Brenda Gargano of Hingham, Mass.; a brother, John Vignoni, Sr., of West Quincy, Mass.; four sisters, Mrs. Katherine Thurston of Weymouth, Mass., Mrs. Mary Lyons of Miami, Fla., Mrs. Theresa Lindsey of New York and Mrs. Josephine Clancy of North Carolina; and six grandchildren.

A funeral Mass was celebrated Tuesday morning, March 22, in St. Mary's Church, West Quincy. Burial was at Pine Hill Cemetery.

## OWEN JOSEPH RICHARDS

Owen Joseph Richards, 80, of 462 Kingsland Ave., Lyndhurst, N. J., died Wednesday, March 16, 1977, in Clara Maass Hospital, Belleville, N. J., where he had been a patient for several weeks. Mr. Richards was born in Alma, P. E. I., Canada, the son of Benjamin and Mary (Perry) Richards. As a young man he came to the United States, living in Upton, Bethel, and Bath, before moving to New York and New Jersey. For twenty years he was a supervisor at Essex Fiber Mills, North Bergen, N. J., retiring ten years ago. He was a veteran of World War I, serving in the Canadian Army. He was a parishioner of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife Henrietta (Eman) Richards, two sons, Clayton, Largo, Fla., and Otis, Lyndhurst, N. J. and a daughter, Beverly, also of Lyndhurst; two brothers, William and Benjamin and a sister Annie (Mrs. Peter Sonier) all of Summerside, P. E. I., Canada; six grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

The funeral service was held on March 19, from Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church with interment at Crest Haven Memorial Park, Clifton, N. J.

## FOLK DANCE IN BRYANT POND SATURDAY, APRIL 2

There will be a folk dance in Bryant Pond at the Woodstock Elementary School at 7:30 p. m. on Saturday, April 2. The dances come from countries all over the world. They range in difficulty from the very simple to the more complex and intricate. Lisa Shelman, of Brunswick, teaches the dances so that everyone can learn. Come and have a good time Saturday night.

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## DOOEN - WIGHT ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Gayland Dooen are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Gail Ann, to Gary Wight, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wight of Newry. Gail will graduate in June 1977 from Telstar Regional High School. Mr. Wight graduated in 1974 from Telstar. The wedding is set for June 18.

## B.E.A.R.S., Inc.

(Bethel Emergency Ambulance & Rescue Service)

Item I. Volunteer ambulance personnel for April are: K. Bedder, V. Bernier, P. Bodwell, J. Brooks, R. and A. Cummings, A. and J. Greenleaf, R. Hanscom Sr., C. Howe, F. Merrill, D. Morin, D. Myers, L. Myers, A. Raymond, H. Smith Jr., A. Stevens, E. Sweetser, M. Whitney, T. Young. That means there are 20 persons who are giving their time to their community to fulfill 1440 hours for April. There has to be two persons on duty at all times. Most of the volunteers are engaged in other jobs. Being "on duty" means waiting at home for an ambulance call and ready to act. Some sleep in their ambulance uniforms when pulling night shift. Twenty people to do this job just isn't enough. We have appealed for more volunteers for the past two months. WE NEED YOU. You will be trained free of charge. Summer is coming, which will most likely deplete our list. Everyone will gain if more volunteers come forth, including taxpayers and anyone needing emergency care services.

Please call Arlene Greenleaf (824-2744). No one is asked to do more than he feels he can do. If you are at home all day and could leave if a call came, please consider acting on this appeal.

Safety Tip of the Week:  
Remember the ABC's of First Aid:  
A—Airway (be sure airway thru mouth or nose are clear)  
B—Breathing (if not breathing, do mouth-to-mouth; give four deep breaths, then one breath every five seconds).  
C—Circulation (check for bleeding).

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## CUB SCOUTS BURST! (BALLOONS)

Pack 568, Cub Scouts, held its monthly meeting Tuesday evening, March 29. Twenty-two Cubs plus parents and leaders were present for an evening which started out with a balloon blowing and bursting contest. Mike McGuire was awarded first prize (3 balloons) for blowing the "most hot air" and Bruce Barth was awarded 5 balloons (so he may practice) for having the least hot air! Den Six does it again! Cubmaster Al Barth made announcements concerning the April 26 meeting, which will be the Annual Cake Bake and Auction. The decorating theme this year will be Transportation. The Cubmaster encouraged Cubs to bring projects and crafts to display at meetings and praised parents for becoming directly involved with Den meetings.

Don Feeney was given the Rain Applause for his participation in a Den 6 meeting this month.

The following awards were presented to Cubs and Parents: Scott Korhonen, Wolf; Scott Brown, Gold Arrow; Jon Ness, Bear; Todd Kellogg, Silver Arrow; Keith Wight, Bear and Gold Arrow; Willie Rice, Aquanaut and Outdoorsman.

## Bethel and Vicinity

Mrs. Elsie Inman returned home Tuesday following surgery at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Annis, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Young, have returned following a week's vacation at Grotto Bay, in Bermuda.

Richard S. Chandler recently was awarded numerals for his participation as a member of the Bowdoin College 1976-77 squash team.

Academic achievement has earned Catherine A. Fiske of Bethel a place on the dean's list at Colby College. A freshman, Miss Fiske is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fiske. She is a graduate of Telstar Regional High School.

Week end guests of Norma Jodrey were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Merrill, Marty; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wentzell and Mollie of Ogunquit; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dufort of North Berwick. They were joined Sunday for the day by Mr. and Mrs. Arlan Jodrey, Becky, Mike, Walter Jodrey of Gorham, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. James Coombs, Mrs. Lynn Willis, Willis Wentzell, Wells; Mrs. Yvonne Sessions, Rumford Point, for the baptism of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wentzell's baby, Mollie, at the Congregational Church.

## BORN

In Norway, Mar. 30, to Mr. and Mrs. David Lowell (Lillian) Williamson of Montreal, Can., of Bethel, a daughter, Marie Ann.

## DIED

In Belleville, N. J., March 16, Owen Joseph Richards, of Lyndhurst, N. J., formerly of Upton, aged 80 years.

In Jamaica Plain, Mass., Charles W. Nammarah of West Quincy, Mass., aged 63 years.

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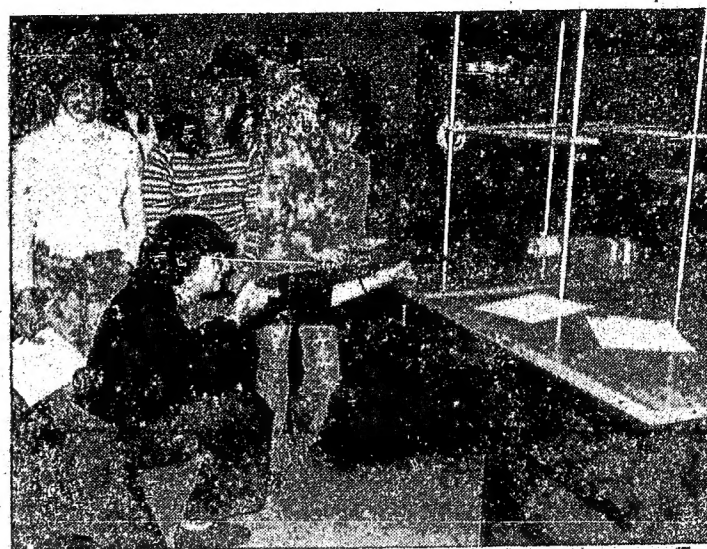
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## DETERMINING THE SPEED OF A BB

In Project Physics class at Telstar Regional H. S., the class is determining the speed of a BB. By taking many different measurements they are able to shoot the BB gun and find the BB's speed. Heidi Holt is shooting the BB and is trying to hit the can. Guess what! She hit the target and got the BB in the can. The speed of the BB was found to be about 72 m/sec.

## BETHEL LIONS CLUB

Among the major activities carried on by Lions Clubs is work done in the areas of Sight Conservation and work for the Blind.

At the 1925 International Convention Miss Helen Keller, known as "the angel of the blind," appealed to the delegates for greater Lions participation in sight conservation and service to the blind. Moved by her address, the convention adopted a resolution making blind work and sight conservation a major activity of Lions International.

Sight conservation has been one of the major projects of the Bethel Lions Club for many years. With the help of the citizens of the Bethel area the Club has been able to help many citizens of this area have the eyeglasses and eye examinations needed but unable to afford. Mollycoddett Day has been the major fund raiser to help the Lions Club pay for these services. If any club or organization is interested in having a booth, a float for the parade, or wishes to help in any other way please get in touch with the Lions Club. Mollycoddett Day this year will be July 16.

The Lions also have collection boxes for old eyeglasses in the following places: Bethel Post Office, IGA, Casco Bank, Charlie's Chevron, Hathaway's Country Store, Village Store, Citgo Station, Brooks Bros., and Clukey's Pharmacy.

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However, Congress is considering an increase in Head Start Funds which would help present centers and allow expansion of programs. We need this increase and you can help!

Write your Congressmen and express support for an increase in Head Start Funding and to include increases to existing programs, also expansion to other areas. Your letters could express that Head Start really works! We've been under funded in the past. We are ready to expand to another area if funds become available. Send your letters immediately to: The Honorable Edmund S. Muskie, United States Senate, Washington, D. C. 20510; The Honorable William D. Hathaway, United States Senator, Washington, D. C. 20510; The Honorable William Cohen, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C. 20510.

## HOSPITAL AUXILIARY TO MEET

The Bethel Auxiliary of Rumford Community Hospital will meet on Monday, April 4, at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Claire Snyder, Park Street.

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